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Mercury Sinks Low In Midwest

A SHADOW OF LOWDEN LOOMS IN BACKGROUND

Agrarian Aid Measure Demanded By Western Farmers, Backed By Former Illinois Governor, To Be Brought Out By Administration.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The shadow of ex-Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, projected into the 1928 republican political horizon, today overcast plans of the Coolidge administration for farm relief legislation.

As a result, party leaders in the house and senate are preparing to bring out early in the new year an agrarian relief bill to meet the demands of western farmers.

The views on farm measures of Lowden, mentioned as a possible candidate for the next republican presidential nomination, and those of leaders of the Coolidge administration are somewhat at odds. Unless these views can be reconciled and some measure adopted which will assist agriculture to dispose of its surplus products at a profit, there is danger that the republicans may lose strength among the farmers, according to reports reaching the white house.

Eastern farm organization leaders and eastern bankers have opposed price fixing for products and an export corporation, backed by federal money, to handle farm surplus. The farm interests of the west have demanded this legislation and the south is swinging into line with them.

Lowden Group Insistent.

Lowden is head of an organization which has insisted steadily on federal aid in taking care of farm surplus in foreign markets and of federal legislation designed to stablize domestic markets and bring about orderly distribution.

Lowden was a political figure of importance in the last republican convention. He declined then a nomination for the vice presidency, unanimously offered. Later he refused to accept a position in the Coolidge cabinet, his friends asserting he desired to remain unhampered for his fight to secure remedial farm relief legislation.

Representative Dickinson of Iowa, farm bloc leader in the house, has complained of the ineffectiveness of the Coolidge program for relief legislation. He warned of republican party of political dangers ahead unless leaders take up at once a farm bill along the lines suggested by Lowden.

To Meet At Des Moines.

Next Monday members of the Iowa house delegation and other representatives from agricultural states will meet in Des Moines with the Iowa Bankers' association. The move for federal aid in selling surplus products is expected to be given aid and endorsement.

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DIVISION MOORE REALTY APPROVED

Fees Of $13,000 Allowed Attorney and Referees In Partition.

An order approving the referees' division of the R. E. Moore realty between Mrs. Moore and the Lincoln Hospital association, and fixing attorneys' and referees' fees was made Saturday afternoon by Judge W. E. Stewart.

Judge Jacob Fawcett, attorney in the partition proceedings, is allowed $10,000. Each of the referees, E. B. Stephenson, W. A. Selleck and Ernest Folsom, is allowed $1,000.

The realty was divided equally between the hospital and Mrs. Moore. Its total valuation is placed at $650,000.

Cougars Win From Honolulu Eleven

HONOLULU, Dec. 26.—(I.N.S.)—Washington State defeated the Honolulu all-stars, an aggregation of Honolulu football players, 24 to 7, here this afternoon in a game featured by the consistently superior playing of the visitors.

Student and Sister Killed by a Chemical Used In Experiment

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—A chemical experiment which he was said to have been studying at Columbia university is believed to have led to the death of Oscar Hoffman, 32, and his 24-year-old sister, Selma, in their uptown lodging house today.

Their landlady discovered the bodies. Hoffman's room was filled with the fumes of illuminating gas and of an unknown chemical.

Neither the brother nor sister had been seen since they returned yesterday from a Christmas dinner at the home of relatives.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 26.—The weather outlook for the period December 28 to January 2, inclusive, follows:

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys: Quite cold first half of week, moderating temperature about Wednesday or Thursday; mostly fair first part of week, probably snows middle or latter part.

Nebraska: Fair Sunday and Monday, colder in west portions Monday.

Kansas: Generally fair Sunday and Monday, except snow in east portion Sunday, colder Sunday; slowly rising temperature Monday.

CONCESSION IS GRANTED SYRIA

Provisional Government Established, According to Report From Damascus.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—M. DeJouvenel, French high commissioner, has granted Syria a provisional government, according to a dispatch tonight to the Sunday Express from Damascus.

Col. Mitchell Not Backed By Half Brother

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Col. William Mitchell, courtmartialed army flier, may have had the American people behind him in his fight to better the country's air forces, but David D. Mitchell, his half brother of this city, condemns the flying colonel for his actions leading up to and during the recent trial.

"Willie has always been like that" his half brother declared, adding the espoused cause probably was a noble one, but that Colonel Mitchell placed himself too much to the forefront.

Asked for a comment on the trial, the Jacksonville relative of the flier offered to prepare a several thousand word statement making clear his contention that his brother's actions had not been those of a "gentleman." He would need that much, he said.

David Mitchell has figured prominently in the news for several years here as a result of his efforts to gain possession of an estate to which Federal courts have ruled he has no claim.

Mexican Congress Acts on Anti-Alien Measures Saturday

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The legislative program of the Mexican congress virtually will be finished tonight, including action on the four anti-alien measures which has aroused international protest.

The senate will conclude debate on the labor bill and is expected to pass it and forward it to the chamber of deputies.

The lower house already has received the irrigation measure and is expected to adopt it tonight.

The measures give President Calles dictatorial powers. Until the president decrees the regulations by official proclamation, no one will know how sweeping the laws directed against foreigners may prove. All indications point to the foreign oil interests being faced with revalidation of claims which will make them subject to the new laws.

Subsidiaries to the Standard Oil Co., now are canceling their contracts for drilling and there is a considerable exodus of independent operators for Venezuela.

Past National Head B'Nai Brith Is Dead

OAKLAND, Cal. Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Judge George E. Samuels, 67, past national grand president of the B'Nai Brith, died suddenly in a hospital here tonight.

Judge Samuels had been ill only a few days. His illness was diagnosed as stomach ulcers.

CONNELL ASKS TERM BE CUT

Man Serving Life Term For Murder In Cheyenne County Which Followed Bank Robbery To Be Given Third Hearing.

TO APPEAR BEFORE BOARD JANUARY 12

Principal Plea Based On Ground That R. G. Lukens, Who Is Said to Have Planned Sunol Job, Has Been Liberated.

After being turned down by the state pardon board three years ago, and again in December, 1924, Frank Connell will be a given a third hearing before that tribunal at its next meeting, January 12, asking to have his life sentence for murder in Cheyenne county shortened. He wants a commutation to 15 years, which would mean 10 years and 5 months of actual imprisonment with the usual good time deductions.

Connell was sentenced October 6, 1916, and if his term were commuted on the foregoing basis he would get out in March, 1927. However, prisoners at the penitentiary also get "extra good time," not exceeding thirty days in each year, when they meet certain requirements, and this added credit would let him out in April or May, 1926.

The principal plea made in Connell's behalf is that R. A. Lukens, his partner in the crime which started with a bank robbery at Sunol and resulted in the slaying of two farmers in the pursuing posse, was granted a commutation in 1921 and received his discharge from the penitentiary April 20, 1923. Lukens was said to have planned the robbery, but it was Connell who actually entered the building and held up the bank cashier. Connell also shot and killed Paul Vacik and Ira Paup when the civilian party was closing in upon him in a cornfield, according to the records. Lukens was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment as an accessory in the murders.

Traveled Ttogether.

The pair had come into western Nebraska together from Denver,

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WETS' HOPES STILL STRONG

Offensive to Repeal Or Modify Prohibition Laws to Reach Full Force Next November and In 1928 Presidential Race.

NO HOPE OF REVISION IN PRESENT CONGRESS

But Will Not Cease Efforts to Obtain Concessions; Plan to Blazon Every Error Of Enforcement As Proof of "Failure."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The wets are looking ahead.

Their real offensive to repeal or modify the dry law will reach full force during the elections of next November and in the presidential year of 1928.

They have all but abandoned hope that a wedge can be driven into the overwhelming dry sentiment in congress sufficient to open the way for prohibition law revision at the present session.

This does not mean that the wets, whose denunciations of prohibition enforcement as a "failure" have been more bitter and caustic than before, will cease their efforts to obtain partial concessions at least, from this congress.

Rather, wet leaders said today, the prohibition question will be pushed with greater vigor after the holidays and will be kept as much to the fore front as possible until the mid-summer adjournment.

Every omission, every misstep, every error of dry law enforcement will be blazoned forth by the wets as proof of their contention that the law is unenforceable and as such should be modified in the interests of law and order.

Have Definite Plan.

All this is a part of the wet's gen-

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Requests Aid In Search of Husband Missing Since July

Mrs. Garfield Thomas, 1122 South Fourteenth street, is searching for her husband who left home in search of work July 11 and has not been seen since. She asked police Saturday to help her find him Chief Peter Johnstone will notify authorities at Cookville, Tenn. and Light, Ariz., as Thomas is thought to have gone to one of those places. He has relatives in these cities. Thomas left five children and his wife.

Carrie Jacobs Bond Resting At Sanitarium

GLENDALE, Cal., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Carrie Jacobs Bond, noted song writer, was convalescing at the Glendale sanitarium tonight following a nervous breakdown. Attendants reported her condition was not serious.

The composer expects to return to her home in Hollywood after a few days of rest at the sanitarium.

STATE SHIVERING IN ZERO WEATHER

Most Severe Cold Wave Of the Winter Sweeps Over Nebraska.

Mercury May Drop to Ten Below—Snow Falls Near Alliance.

The most severe wave of cold weather experienced this winter descended on Nebraska from the northwest Saturday night. The mercury in Lincoln dropped eleven degrees between 2 o'clock in the afternoon and 9 o'clock Saturday night, when zero was recorded.

Government weather forecasters predicted that a low mark of six to ten below zero might be reached during the night.

With extremely low temperatures being reported in states north and northwest, and a strong wind carrying the icy breath of the northern winter south over Nebraska there was little prospect of any degree of warmth making its appearance here today. Some snow was predicted for parts of the state. At 10 o'clock the Burlington reported that the lowest mark, three below had been reached in the western part of the state.

The temperatures in Lincoln Saturday follow:

8 a. m.	16	2 p. m.	11
9 a. m.	19	3 p. m.	10
10 a. m.	13	4 p. m.	9
11 a. m.	12	5 p. m.	8
12 noon	12	6 p. m.	6
1 p. m.	11	7 p. m.	4

Cold Wave to Continue.

Continued cold and unsettled weather was predicted for Nebraska and other middle-western states during the coming week in the national forecast.

At midnight the Burlington reported that a light snow was falling over the extreme western part of the state with temperatures ranging from zero to six degrees below. The lowest temperature reported by the Burlington was at Merna, Neb.

Swedish Steamer Without a Rudder In Mid-Atlantic

HALIFAX, N. S. Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The Swedish steamer Carsholm battered by heavy seas, is disabled in mid-Atlantic, according to a wireless message received here today.

The message stated that the ship had lost its rudder and that the crew was attempting to improvise a temporary rudder so that the vessel could reach Newfoundland.

The Carsholm left Stockholm for an American port. The wireless message did not reveal whether any members of the crew or any passengers were in danger.

Davis Called Back By Wife's Illness

TAMPA, Fla., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The expected trip of Secretary of War Dwight Davis to Tampa was indefinitely postponed today, according to American Legion officials who were notified that Davis had been called back to Washington by the illness of his wife.

Cardinal Mercier to Undergo an Operation

BRUSSELS, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Surgeons decided today it would be necessary to operate upon Cardinal Mercier, who has been ill for some time with stomach trouble. The operation will be performed next Tuesday.

General Butler To Speak At a Mass Meeting

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Gen Smedley D. Butler, who was dramatically ousted as public safety director of Philadelphia this week is to speak on the general topic of "Law Enforcement" at a mass meeting here tomorrow.

An amplification of Butler's charges against Mayor Kendrick of Philadelphia, and announcement of his future plans were forecast as topics to be discussed. Butler will arrive here Sunday morning.

Gov. Clifford Pinchot, who has publicly manifested his displeasure at the prohibition law enforcement of Secretary Mellon will speak in the latter's home town at tomorrow's gathering.

ABSOLVED IN SHOOTING CASE

Coroner's Jury Declares Gill Acted In Defense of Home and That Killing Of John Pollett, Colored, Was Justifiable.

NO PROSECUTION TO BE BROUGHT

Witnesses Tell of Tragedy Which Occurs When Victim Attempts to Force Way Into Home Where Family Dinner In Progress.

A coroner's jury completely exonerated Jim Gill Saturday afternoon for shooting and killing John Pollett at Gill's residence, 1239 Vine street, Friday evening where a Christmas dinner was in progress.

The verdict:

"John Pollett met his death on the evening of December 25, 1925, at 1239 Vine street, from gunshot wound inflicted by Jim Gill, who was acting in defense of himself and home; and the act was justifiable and without felonious intent."

Members of the jury were Morris Freshman, C. D. Husted, Fritz Johnson, E. T. Leek, R. H. Neal and C. S. Hedlund.

There will be no prosecution.

An audience, mostly of colored persons, completely filled the chapel at Alba Brown's funeral home where the inquest was held. Many of those present had seen the shooting or knew something of it, but only a small number was called to testify.

Jim Gill himself took the stand and told the story substantially the same as that related by other witnesses. He is 31 years old and married.

Admits The Shooting.

"I am the man who did the shooting," he asserted quietly, after being warned by Deputy County Attorney Max Towle that anything he said might be used against him later.

A family dinner with ten or eleven persons present was in progress Friday evening about 6 o'clock he stated. Pollett had not been invited but he showed up, pushed open the dood and came in. Mrs. Gill asked him to be seated. He did not care to do so and told Gill as much.

Then Pollett pulled out a knife, a small pearl-handled affair, and said "Maybe you don't like it," Gill

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RUMBLES OF SENATE TAX WAR HEARD

Democratic Spokesmen Flatly Announce Opposition To Reduction Measure Approved By Lower House Of Congress.

A NEW PROGRAM TO BE OFFERED

Administration Forces Prepare To Put Up Sturdy Battle For House Bill—Senator Smoot Is a Strong Defender.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26—(I. N. S.)—The brief era of nonparisan consideration of tax legislation, which marked enactment of the $325,000,000 tax reduction bill by the house, has ended.

With the senate finance committee ready to open public hearings on the new revenue measure as soon as congress reconvenes, rumbles of a legislative tax war were heard tonight from democratic spokesmen. They flatly announced opposition to the "nonpartisan" bill and a program, which, if carried out, would change materially the rates approved by the house.

From the administration's camp came an equally sturdy announcement that a fight will be staged in the senate to enact the measure virtually as it came from the house. There will be minor changes, a little shakeup here and there to give the bill a senate touch, republican leaders said, but the heart of the house measure—its income tax rates—will remain as they now are.

The administration forces, led by Senator Smoot, republican of Utah, praised the house income rates as presenting an equitable distribution of the tax melon. Smoot pointed out that the proposed new income tax rates would give the family man of moderate income the greatest reduction and that this class would pay less taxes than at any time in history.

Hold Cut Sufficient.

"There is no need to lower the normal rates farther than the reduction allowed by the house or to increase the exemptions," said

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OPERATORS MAKE AN UNLOOKED FOR MOVE END STRIKE

Offer Men Chance To Return At Old Pay Pending Negotiations.

Union Heads Claim Effort to "Break Morale Of the Miners."

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—A new and unexpected offer to end the bitter, long drawn out anthracite coal strike was made tonight direct to striking mine workers by the operators.

The 158,000 striking miners were told they could go back to work at once at their old pay pending the outcome of settlement negotiations to be resumed in New York Tuesday between the operators and the union leaders.

Bitter criticism was expressed promptly by union officials when they learned of the operators' proposal. They saw in it a move to "break the morale of the miners."

John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, spending the holidays at Springfield, Ill., refused to issue a formal statement. The proposal, he said, was old.

The advertisement containing the offer says in part:

Offer Of Owners.

"The door is open.

"You can go back to work now at the wages fixed in the contract that expired August 31, 1925. We will pay these wages until next September—eight months.

"Acceptance of this proposal would in itself constitute a contract.

"While wages are coming in and coal going out, we can arrange the

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ROBERT BOOTH TAKEN BY DEATH

Employe Of City Water Department For 31 Years Dies Saturday.

Robert Booth, 83, who until four years ago was employed at the city water department, died at 12:45 o'clock Saturday afternoon at his home at 2315 E street. Mr. Booth had been a resident of Lincoln for forty-eight years.

He came to Lincoln in 1877. Thirty-five years ago he entered the employ of the city water department and remained with the department until four years ago when he retired because of ill health. He was one of the charter members of Camp 190 of the Modern Woodmen of America and was also a member of the Woodmen of the World.

He is survived by a wife, Emma, two daughters, Mrs. Guy Warner of San Diego, Cal., and Mrs. Aaron Hotchkiss of Lincoln; a step-daughter, Mrs. Fred Welbness of San Diego; three sons, Patrick of Milwaukee, Harry and Charles of Lincoln; a sister, Mrs. Peter Beets of Lincoln; two brothers, Jerry of Nebraska City and Benjamin who lives in Pennsylvania.

The body is being held at Splain & Schnell's pending funeral arrangements.

Funeral Services For R. E. Mattison Sunday Afternoon

Funeral services for Raymond E. Mattison, general manager of the Lincoln Telephone & Telegraph company, who passed away at his home here Friday afternoon, will be held at 2 p. m., Sunday at the Westminster Presbyterian church. The Westminster men's quartet will sing.

The body is to be taken to Salina, Mich., at 4:40 o'clock for burial.

Following are the active pallbearers:

W. B. Bell, R. S. Brewster, M. T. Caster, W. L Lemon, C P Russell, T C Woods

The honorary pallbearers:

F. H. Woods, George Woods, Mark Woods, L. E. Hurtz, B. A. George, J. M Nell of York, Thorne A Browne, Commodore N. Beaver of York, W. B. T. Belt of Omaha, A. A. Lohman of Omaha, F. A. May of Omaha, W R Johnson of Omaha, H G. Taylor, Charles A. Randall.

Reports Boy, 9, Missing Since Noon Saturday

Police were asked Saturday night to search for 9-year-old Eddie Leach, 821 North Twelfth street, who had been missing from his home since noon.

The boy had been sent to police headquarters by his mother, police said, to speak to one of the officers. He never appeared at the station, and had not been seen since when the mother called.

He was wearing a gray overcoat, blue serge cap and a brown muffler, according to police.

LARGE AREA OF COUNTRY HELD IN AN ICY GRIP

New Minimum Temperature Records For Season Promised With No Relief In Sight In This Section For At Least Two Days.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Winter blew an icy blast over the heart of the middlewest tonight, driving thermometers to new lows for the season. Before the night is over the mercury may touch as low as 30 degrees below zero at northern points according to the weather forecaster.

Six men died in Chicago from the cold. Four were frozen to death and the other two died from exposure.

The cold was slowly spreading over the area south of the Canadian border and east of the Rockies, and morning may see frost nibbling the outskirts of the warm weather states.

Reports to the weather bureau here show a steady decline in temperatures all over the country.

The middlewest, which has already suffered some thirty-six hours of near and below zero temperatures was slated for still colder weather.

Chicago's highest temperature today was three above zero. At four o'clock it was zero, with the mercury steadily dropping. Ten below zero was the forecast.

Drops Low On North Border.

Up near the Canadian border the temperature was reported at fifteen below zero, with the cold becoming more intense.

Several Indiana and central Illinois points reported temperatures all around zero at 5 p. m., and the mercury sinking to new lows for the season.

The cold wave has already hit the states farther east. Cleveland and other Ohio cities were deep in snow, with the cold increasing. The snow was sweeping eastward and tonight may see a heavy fall in Pennsylvania. Five degrees above zero is in prospect for Pittsburgh and adjoining territory. It was 11 above there today.

New York City reported 18 above zero, and it will be much colder before morning. Buffalo expected six above tonight, while Albany may experience its first zero weather of the season. It was 19 above in Boston and the city of culture prepared for lower temperatures.

Mercury Sinks In Nebraska.

Iowa expected 20 below zero to-

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Wants $10,000 As Heart Balm

A $10,000 breach of promise suit was filed in District court Saturday afternoon by Emma O. Pettit against Owen Marshall.

She claims that he asked her to marry him June 1, 1924, that she agreed and set the wedding date as March 1, 1925. The contract was not carried out and December 23, he definitely refused, she states in her petition.

POUND TO SPEAK TO NEBRASKANS

Will Deliver Principal Address At State Historical Society Meeting.

Dean Rosco Pound, of the Harvard Law school, will deliver the principal address at the forty-ninth annual meeting of the Nebraska State Historical society and the third annual meeting of the Native Sons and Daughters, to be held in Lincoln January 12. Pound is a "native son." Included in the program will be some of the remarkable historical dsicoveries made in Nebraska.

"Queen Dowager" Of Nation's Capital Scores Modernism

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—The graceful swish of trailing skirts, the luxuriant hair of former belles and the ornate customs of the past were invoked to Mrs. John B. Henderson, queen dowager of Washington society, in a bulletin isued from her castle tonight and aimed at the modern freedom of women.

The edict, which scathingly denounced modern fashions in dress and custom, claims to be the first broadside in a campaign for a return of Victorian habits. The fashion in dress of American women is being "dictated by the Parisian underworld" the statement reads. The habit of smoking cigaretts is leading us to moral and physical bankruptcy, it says.

"The best women of France and England, as represented by the royal families of England and the embassie, do not follow fashions of women's wearing apparel not in good taste, quite regardless of the fashions which are dictated by the underworld of Paris."

SPANISH WAR VETS ELECTION

O. E. Sincebaugh Chosen Commander—Mrs. Ellen Eager Heads Auxiliary.

Following are officers of the local United Spanish War Veterans organization, elected Saturday evening at a meeting at Walsh hall:

O. E. Sincebaugh, commander; William Martin, senior vice commander; M. V. Green, junior vice commander; Gustav Johnson, officer of the guard; J. D. Baker, officer of the day; F. D. Eager, J. P. Bratt and Claude P. Hensel, trustees Jacob H. North, patriotic instructor; S. A. Dowling, chaplin; O. W. Meier, historian; Dr. C. W. Sherfey, surgeon; R. B. Bjorkman and H. W. Stuhr, color sergeants; C. F. Jackson, musician.

Officers of the auxiliary were chosen as follows:

Ellen Eager, president; Carolina Sincebaugh, senior vice president; Wilhelmina Johnson, junior vice president; Sadie Dean, chaplin; Addie Earl, historian; Emma Baker, patriotic instructor; Mayme Martin, conductress; Grace McCullah, assistant conductress; Blanche Damron, guard; Mrs. Dolan, assistant guard; Pearl Cosgrave, musician.

PLEADS GUILTY THEFT OF HIDES

Tom Lester Bound Over to District Court Saturday Under $2,000 Bond.

Arraigned in municipal court Saturday afternoon, Tom Lester pleaded guilty to a charge of grand larceny and was bound over to the District court under $2,000 bond. The complaint charges Lester and Earl Hansen with stealing eighty skunk hides and sixty-three muskrat hides valued at $250 from the C. W. Swingle company, 274 South Ninth street, on December 13.

Hansen is held at the county jail on a charge in connection with the theft of sheep casings from the Lincoln Packing company last May. He will probably be arraigned on the Swingle charge Monday, according to Municipal Judge E. B. Chappell.

Lester is believed to have entered the building through the coal chute, according to Captain of Detectives Walter Anderson, and to have thrown the hides out to Hansen.

The robbery was unsolved until two small boys were picked up who said they had found some hides and had given them to a man to sell. Then the hides began to be found and Hansen and Lester were arrested.

Denies Radiocast Report That She Died In Accident

SHENANDOAH, Ia., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Miss Dorothy Anderson, Council Bluffs music teacher, tonight appealed to station KFNF asking its management to broadcast that she is "very much alive" and contradict the report of her death, radiocast from another station.

Miss Anderson first learned of her own "death" when a brother in Scottsbluff, Neb., telegraphed to Clarinda, Ia., where it was reported she had been killed, and requested more information. He received the report through the Clarinda broadcasting station, he stated.

Other inquiries by telegraph and telephone, directed to the home of her father, a local lumber dealer, annoyed the teacher until she sought the local broadcasting station and, like Mark Twain, announced that reports of her death were "greatly exaggerated."

ANDREWS TOURS SOUTH TO PLAN FOR NEW DRIVE

Prohibition Chief Would Curb Reported Increase Of Moonshine.

Surprise Attack On Smugglers and Land Distributers Contemplated.

ABOARD COAST GUARD CUTTER MODOC, Off Cape Fear, N. C., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Learning at Wilmington of an enormous increase in the production of moonshine liquor throughout southeastern United States, L. C. Andrews, assistant secretary of treasury, and an official government party were on the high seas tonight on the first leg of an extensive tour which may mark the beginning of a far reaching reorganization of prohibition and customs regulations.

After getting a picture of south Atlantic and Gulf conditions, Andrews plans early next year to make a personal survey of the Canadian and Mexican borders, a further investigation of the north Atlantic seaboard and a journey to the Pacific coast.

While the development of plans for a more adequate enforcement of the prohibition law is primarily responsible for this trip, Andrews also is studying facilities for a more rapid movement of imports and exports through the southern ports.

Additional customs facilities are required to place American business men in a better position to meet increasing competition from foreign countries, especially in the Latin-American trade. A conference with Collector of Customs A. I. McCaskill at Wilmington revealed that demands on this port are increasing rapidly.

"Gray Mule" Popular.

Activities of the coast guard in the south Atlantic, resulting in some reduction of the imported liquor supply, has stimulated home production of North Carolina "corn" a potent beverage, which, from its "kick," derives the name of "gray mule."

"The per-acre of production of 'corn'" increased materially in the southeast this year, the oldest inhabitant informed newspaper correspondents.

However, some of the more fastidious individuals even in this section demand Scotch and other imported brands of which there certainly is plenty, he added.

Andrews found as the chief problem in North Carolina the question of breaking the line of communication between the shore supplies of liquor farther south and the consumption markets in Richmond, Washington, Baltimore, Atlanta, Philadelphia and New York.

Thousands of gallons of imported liquor smuggled in from Havana and the Bahamas, hidden temporarily in secret dugouts and other bases in the Florida swamps, are moving north by rail and truck.

An Efficient System.

Andrews learned that the rum trust is building up a tremendously efficient distribution system in the south and that the ring links with centers farther north from which smuggled liquor is transported to the interior of the nation.

Plans for a surprise attack simultaneously on smugglers and the land distributors are contemppated. Efforts of the prohibition adminis trators in the southeast will be directed to the wrecking of the system, according to Andrews' lieutenants.

Besides Andrews, the government party consists of John Andrews, the assistant secretary's son, who is a junior at Yale; W. M. R. Vallance, assistant solicitor of the sate department, Com. S. S. Yeandle, aide to Admiral F. C. Billard, commandant of the coast guard; Louis La Chance, secretary to Andrews, and three newspaper men.

The party hit cold weather and moderate seas.

The objective tomorrow is Charleston, S. C., and Savannah, where Andrews will make an address Sunday night.

Andrews and Vallance will confer with the president of Cuba New Year's day, when they will discuss the new anti-smuggling treaty with high Cuban officials and seek to perfect a co-operative arrangement to check smuggling of liquor, narcotics and aliens.

Thousands Visit Grave Noted Scout

DENVER, Dec. 26.—A record breaking number of tourists visited Buffalo Bill's grave on the top of Lookout mountain this year, according to figures furnished by Craig Bradford, superintendent of the Denver mountain parks.

In the 201 days of this year's tourist season, a total of 88,323 persons registered at Pahaska tepee, "Buffalo Bill's" memorial museum on the mountain. Since only about one person in three registers it is estimated that the total attendance during the period was 264,949.

This attendance was even greater than the previous record in 1924, when 85,192 persons registered at the tepee.

Metal Trade In Russia Booming

MOSCOW, Dec. 26.—A real boom has hit the Russian metal industry, which dropped almost to nothing during the years of revolution and civil war.

Felix Dzerzhinsky, head of the supreme economic council declared at the Congress of metal workers that the value of the metal produced in Russia during 1925-1926 will reach 652,500,000 pre-war rubles.

The soviet government is planning to build twenty-one new metal factories, including a tractor factory in Stalingrad and a car factory in Nishni Tagil, in the Urals.

BEATRICE MARRIAGE.

(Special to The Star)

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 26.—John Hughes King and Miss Mary Loy, both of this city, were married Thursday evening at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otho King, Rev. C. B. Hankins officiating. The guests numbered about thirty relatives and friends of the young couple who will go to housekeeping in a new home prepared by Mr. King.

Wilson Among Presidents Had Most Degrees

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 27.—Woodrow Wilson was the recipient of more college degrees and civilian honors than any president of the United States, it was announced on his birthday today. The many honors which were conferred on the war president include honorary field marshal in the Brazilian army and the Nobel peace prize of 1920.

Fifteen American degrees were given him. The first was his bachelor of arts as a graduate of Princeton university in the class of 1879. Three years later his alma mater gave him the master's degree, while he became a doctor of philosophy at Johns Hopkins in 1886. These three degrees were taken as a result of study and research, the remaining twelve being conferred in recognition of his service to education while president of Princeton university. His chief contribution in this field was the founding of the "preceptorial system," whereby the undergraduates receive personal instruction with the end in view of stimulating them to take up independent thought and research rather than merely cramming themselves with facts, predigested by professors.

American Degrees.

The other American institutions to honor him with doctorates were Wake Forest, Yale, Princeton, Tulane, Johns Hopkins, Brown, Pennsylvania, Rutgers, Harvard, Williams, Dartmouth and Lincoln Memorial.

On June 7, 1917, Mr. Wilson was given the first of his nine foreign degrees. This was an honorary doctorate from the University of Bologna, the oldest school in Italy. The Sorbonne of Paris followed on December 21 with a similar degree. During 1919, Turin, Athens, Cracow, Prague, Louvain and Geneva honored the American president. On July 2 the University of Paris announced that Woodrow Wilson was the first man to receive a new degree "doctor honoris causa," from that ancient institution.

In addition to the above, the freedom of the following cities was given during his official journeys to Europe in 1918 and 1919: Paris, Manchester, Rome, Turin, Milan, Cork, the San Marino republic, and Lausanne.

Among the other honors received in 1919 was membefship in the Royal Academy of Science at Rome and the Liberty service medal of the National Institute of Social Science. Because of his official position, the late president refused many other dignities.

COOLIDGES PLAN FOR OPEN HOUSE

Doors Of Mansion To Open Friday In Keeping With Custom.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—The same ritual and formality that has graced the white house New Year receptions since the days of Thomas Jefferson and James Madison will be in evidence when the east doors of the executive mansion swing open Friday morning.

The reception will begin at 11 a. m., with members of the cabinet and their families the first to pay their respects to President and Mrs. Coolidge. They will be followed by the diplomatic corps, the Supreme court and lower court judges, members of congress and army, navy and marine corps officials. Despite the huge number expected to call in these delegations, Everett Sanders, the president's secretary, has set 11:50 a. m., as the limit for the stay.

At this juncture, officials and the members of various organizations ranging from the Daughters of the Revolution to the Veterans of Foreign wars will pass before the president. At 1 p. m., the doors will be thrown open for the general public and this hospitality will be extended until the last citizen has been ushered through the white house.

The president will meet guests in the east room, which is now undergoing redecorating.

Old Time Printer Dies At Stromsburg

STROMSBURG, Neb., Dec. 26.—Lou Rosetter, 61, printer, died suddenly this morning at the home of John Solson in this city.

Mr. Rositer was employed by the Headlight Printing Co. He had been ailing but was working on the job all the time. He had been with the Headlight for several years. He was an old-time printer, and had been employed on the World-Herald, Omaha Bee, and many other papers in the state. He was a member of the Chadron Odd Fellows lodge and at one time lived at Norfolk, and worked on the Norfolk Times.

There being no Odd Fellows lodge here, the Osceola Odd Fellows lodge will conduct the funeral, which will likely be held Monday. He had a father and sister living at Omaha.

MUSICAL PROGRAM

The choir of Friedens German Evangelical Lutheran church will give a program of special music at the services to be held Sunday evening at 7:30. The church is at the corner of Sixth and F streets, and Rev. Richard Kuehne is the pastor.

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CONVICTS GIVEN EARLY FREEDOM

Prisoners Released From Nebraska Pen Quickly, Considering Crimes.

Condition Due to Indeterminate Sentence, Quick Parole Discharge.

Partly because of Nebraska's easy-going indeterminate sentence law, and partly because of regulations and practices which are not fixed by statute, convicts at the penitentiary, both first termers and repeaters are often able to regain their liberty in an absurdly short time after entering the institution, considering the crimes for which they were sentenced.

The same thing applies in a less degree to inmates of the men's reformatory; but as that establishment houses only those proscuted for less serious offenses, who have never been convicted before, fewer cases involving notorious miscarriage of justice occur there.

In Pennsylvania, every convicted man must serve at least half of the maximum sentence imposed upon him by the court. That is the minimum provided by law, and no deductions for "good time are given. If a prisoner escapes and is captured, he must do his original term in full, and then begin a duplicate term, with privilege of parole conditioned on good behavior when he has served half of it.

Quick Discharge.

A man released on parole in Pennsylvania is not discharged until the expiration of his maximum term. In Nebraska, he usually get a final discharge six months after parole, if no black marks are recorded against him in the meantime. Thus, a transgressor may be sentenced to the penitentiary for 1 to 10 years, secure a parole at the end of the first year, and be discharged in a year and a half from the time he began his sentence. In Pennsylvania, he would remain at least five years, and if paroled then would remain under surveillance for another five years.

If the Nebraska board of pardons should see fit, it could establish virtually the same regulations here. While it has power to parole a convict when he has finished the one-year minimum specified for most crimes, it is not compelled by law to do so. It could require every culprit, except in especially deserving cases, to serve out half his term before granting a parole.

Not Statutory.

The rule relating to final discharge six months after the date of parole is not a statutory regulation but is simply a custom and practice which the pardon board inherited from the past, and which it has not seen fit to change. The board recently paroled two men, but specified that they should not be discharged until their full terms had expired. It could do the same in other cases, but generally speaking, a man who does not violate his parole gets his unconditional freedom at the end of a half-year probationary period.

"Good time" and "extra good time" are concessions to convicts which were slipped into the statutes a good many years ago, before public sentiment in Nebraska became aroused over the easy avenues through which lawbreakers evade the penalties imposed upon them by courts and juries. The pardon board has nothing to do one way or the other with good time deductions. These are determined entirely by the warden of the penitentiary, based on the men's behavior during confinement. The warden can grant good time or without it, just as he may see fit.

Blames Judges.

State Prohibition Officer Harmon thinks that judges of the district court should bear part of the blame for the laxity of the present parole system. They are empowered by law, he says, to sentence offenders for flat terms, which would take them out from under the indeterminate sentence statute. That is not ordinarily done, however. Judges continue sending men for terms of 1 to 3, 1 to 7, 1 to 10, or 1 to 20 years, when they could just as well cut off the minimum and make the maximum apply as a specific term, Harmon declares. They thus "pass the buck" to the state pardon board.

Public criticism of the parole administration voiced by District Judge Westover of Rushville is resented by the state probation officer. He finds from the records that during the current calendar year Judge Westover sentenced sixteen men to the penitentiary, of whom eleven were given indeterminate sentences. Two of the others were life termers for non-parolable crimes. Out of thirteen persons committed to the reformatory by Judge Westover, eleven received indeterminate sentences.

STAR OFFICERS.

(Special to hTe Star.)

HEBRON, Neb., Dec. 26.—The Order Eastern Star elected officers at the regular meetings, the personnel of the new official body being: Worthy matron, Mrs. R. A. Baltzell; worthy patron, R. M. Gordon; associate matron, Mrs. C. E. Green; secretary, Mrs. W. M. Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. W. Galbraith; conductress, Mrs. J. A. Ray; associate conductress, Mrs. W. F. Powell.

G. O. P. Women Press Senate to Put United States in World Court



Republican women are exerting pressure upon the republican senate to pass the bill which will make United States a member of World court of the League of Nations. Members of the G. O. P. club of New York are seen in Washington to urge support of the measure. Left to right: Mrs. A. J. George, Miss Maude Wetmore, Mesdames Arthur L. Livermore, W. F. Powers, Rhoda Fox Graves, Frank G. Flint, John Russ and F. M. Lee.

ELDERLY PATRIOT KILLS BROTHER

Beheads Relative Who Had Plunged Sword Into Self In Suicide Pact.

TOKYO, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—A strange case of patriotic fanaticism has come to light in the Hokkaido where one Sato Takegoro, 63, is under arrest charged with abetting suicide in connection with the death of his brother, whom he beheaded.

Takegoro told a weird story of a suicide pact between six men made years ago, during the reign of Emperor Meiji. Spurred by the fanatical patriotism of the Samurai the youths agreed to commit hari-kari at the tombs of their ancestors on the death of the emperor. The plan went awry, however, when some of the patriots decided they would be of more value to the empire alive than dead and it was not until this month that the men felt that, having outlived their usefulness, they might kill themselves "for the glory of Japan."

Sato Kemman, 67, was selected as the first offering and after fasting and prayer at the shrine of his ancestors, plunged a sharp sword in his abdomen. In accordance with the creed of hari kari his brother Sato Takegoro stood by as "kaishakunin," or executioner, to save the writhing patriot from more suffering.

"When Kemman plunged the sword in his stomach I sliced off his head, as agreed," he told police.

The suicides were intended as "a protest against the present degradation of the national spirit" of Japan, the executioner said.

News of the death of Kemman leaked out before the other members of the hari kari could kill themselves and police intervened, explaining modern Japan does not encourage such bloody protests from her citizens. Takegoro was not charged with murder, however, but with abetting suicide.

Radio Fans Will Hear Celebrated Tenor First Time

Charles Hackett, whose meteoric rise to principal tenor of the Chicago Opera Company made musical history, has been won over to the radio and will make his first apperance befor the microphone Sunday night, December 27. The concert by this great American tenor has been arranged as the Chistmas week feature of the series of Sunday evening concerts by world renowned artists. It will be broadcast from Station WEAF, New York, Beginning at 9:15 p.m; eastern standard time. The program follows:

Aria: "O Paradiso" from L'Africana, Meyerbeer; Charles Hackett and orchestra.

Aria: "Quesa e Quella" from Rigoletto, Verdi; Charles Hackett and orchestra.

Orchestra.

Aria: "Ah! leve-toi" from Romeo et Juliet, Gounod; Charles Hackett and orchestra.

A. Duna, McGill.

B. Hymn to the Night, Campbell-Tipton.

C. I Heard You Singing, Coates. Charles Hackett and piano accompaniment.

Orchestra.

Aria: "Cielo e mar" from La Gioconda, Ponchielli; Charles Hackett and orchestra.

Mr. Hackett's concert will be carried to millions of holiday listeners-in by station WEAF and the fourteen other stations with which it is connected. These reach as far to the northwest as Minneapolis-St. Paul, west to Davenport, Iowa and to St. Louis in the southwest.

Mr. Hackett made his first appearance as a singer when he was a member of the high school glee club in his native city—Worcester, Mass. It was then that his auditors discovered he had a voice. He was engaged as soloist in a Boston church choir. Soon he went on to Italy to study for the opera.

His debut in Genoa was so triumphal that the youthful American tenor immediately was engaged to sing in the famous La Scala in Milan, then for a concert tour of South America. In 1919 came his debut in New York, at the Metropolitan opera house, in "Barber of Seville," and for the past six years he has been singing in opera and concert in the principal musical centers all over the world.

Station KFKX to Broadcast Speech At Omaha Meeting

On Wednesday, December 30th, at 7:45 p. m. central standard time, Westinghouse radio station KFKX will broadcast at Hastings, be remote control from Omaha, Nebraska, a speech by J. E. Davidson, of Omaha, president of the National Electric Light association. Mr. Davidson's speech is to be given in connection with a banquet tendered him at that time and place by the Nebraska section of the N. E. L. A. Mr. A. W. Borden of the Hastings chamber of commerce will be the radio announcer for station KFKX.

PURCHASES FARM.

(Special to The Star)

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 26.—A. H. Coleman has purchased the J. H. Logan quarter section farm near Diller, the consideration being $18,000. The price is below the average paid for farm land in this locality.

Dempster Company Gives Thousands To Its Employes

(Special to The Star.)

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 26.— As a Christmas offering of the profits of the past year, the Dempster Mill Manufacturing company cut a $10,000 melon on Christmas day, this amount being distributed among the sixty-two departmental heads and branch houses managers of the company, depending on the length of service of the employes.

According to C. B. Dempster, president of the company, the year just drawing to a close has been one of the most successful in the history of the concern whish has branch houses at Kansas City, Omaha, Oklahoma City, Sioux Falls, Denver and other points.

Plattsmouth Boy Loses His Life In An Auto Accident

MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., Dec. 26.—The body of Lewis Furlong, 20 years old, who was killed last night when his automobile was overturned near Modale, was taken today to Plattsmouth, Neb., the home of his parents. A companion susatined two broken ribs and two girls with them escaped injury in the accident. The four were on their way to a dance at California Junction, Ia.

Aged Cripple Kills Self With Rifle In A Shooting Gallery

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—An aged and crippled man, believed to be Charles J. Smith, address unknown, hobbled into a shooting gallery here this afternoon, placed a nickel on the counter, fired two shots at the moving decoys, then placed the muzzle of the rifle to his temple and fired. He died on the way to a hospital. A note found in the man's pocket addressed to Mrs. Frank Smith, Rosedale, Kas., read:

"I can't stand the life I am leading. There seems no chance for better so I quit. I can't make the grade."

PEACE REIGNS AT LAST AT HERRIN

"Bloody" Williamson County "Gets Religion," Drops Six-Shooters.

Sobering Began With Deaths Of Rival Clan Leaders In Pistol Duel.

HERRIN, Ill., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Christmas found "bloody" Williamson county a redeemed community, purged of bitter factional hatred.

"Peace on earth: good will to man," has been substituted for revengeful "eye for an eye," resulting in the transformation of Herrin from a community which was synonymous with all that is lawless, into a peaceful, happy and prosperous section.

Hands that formerly held the six shooter, now are being extended in token of good fellowship—to their erstwhile enemies. Herrin has learned its lesson.

"We went through hell, but now the fires are out and never will be rekindled," declared one of the former combatants today.

No single element is directly responsible for the moral rehabilitation of Herrin. A combination of circumstances is thought to have been instrumental in ending the era of fighting.

Citizens of Herrin were sobered when S. Glenn Young and Ora Thomas, leaders of their respective clans, killed each other in a pistol duel.

Lull Comes.

A lull came in the hostilities. Miners began working harder at the mines. This aided in blurring old animosities. Then religion came to Herrin.

Howard S. Williams, an evangelist, essayed to conduct a revival and it proved to be the propitious time. Factions were "fit out" as one citizen described it.

Taciturn members of both sides went to hear Williams and their ears must have burned. He minced no words. He told them that they were murderers and must answer for their sins on the day of reckoning.

At the outset of Williams' meetings a truce was tacitly agreed upon between warring groups. Individuals, however, still snarled at each other and trigger fingers sometimes grew nervous.

The climax came when Sheriff Galligan rode to town and sat on the platform at Williams' tabernacle—in plain view of hundreds of men who had sworn to "get" him.

March to Altar.

Williams called upon his audience to let by-gones—be by-gones, and that sins be confessed. A man went to the altar. He was followed by another and then the march became a debacle away from the ranks of lawlessness.

The preacher, while not to be credited entirely with the almost miraculous transition, nevertheless was the medium through which was crystallized a growing sentiment favoring peace and harmony. Herrin was converted.

Always a prosperous community, Christmas this year found greater happiness here than has existed since 1922 when the first outbreak occurred.

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Wheat Prices Rise Briskly—Sale Of Holiday Goods Heavy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—An aggressive forward price movement in industrial stocks, heavy sell of holiday goods and a brisk rise in wheat prices, following the publication of the governments bullish crop report, were the principal features of the Christmas week in the financial markets. Security and commodity speculation was suspended in both the American and European markets from Thursday afternoon until Monday morning and operations at the banking institutions today were of a routine nature.

Bullish operators in the stock market scored one of the most impressive victories of the year in the last two sessions of this week, when active industrials were pushed up to record breaking price levels at the expense of a heavily trapped short interests. Seldom has the triumph of the bull party been so complete as the one they scored in American Can, which had been under fire by the bears in the preceding weeks after the split-up of the stock had been announced and indications pointed to a tight call money situation for the year end, but the unsuspecting bears "sold themselves into a bag" and Can rushed up thirty points to slightly below 200.

Bond Output Steady.

Investment bankers were busy this week preparing for an unusually heavy drain on their stock of prime bonds in the first part of January, usually the largest and most prominent re-investment period of the year. The output of new bonds held steady in a reduced volume of trading, convertible oil and copper bonds duplicating the market records of their respective stocks, and home and foreign government bonds were inactive but firm.

Standard Oil stocks in the curb market continued to move upward vigorously on speculative and "inside" buying, based on the considerable recent expansion of the facilities of the various companies, the improving petroleum situation and the prospect of further amalgamation of important units, following the taking over of the Pacific Oil Co., by Standard Oil Co., of California, this week.

Call money eased off near the weekend as the result of a deluge of funds from the outside banking centers, attracted by the 6 per cent rate which has been in effect for a week or more.

Time Money Firm.

The rate declined to 5 1-2 per cent on Thursday for loans holding over until Monday. Time money was firm at 5 per cent.

The primary goods markets were quiet this week, grain markets were steady and cotton firm in the last two sessions. Considerable expansion was reported in important departments of industry and trade and an unusually optimistic spirit prevailed at the week end.

Bradstreet's reports its food index number this week at $3.57 against $3.58 last week. Bank clearings for the week aggregated $8,075,223,000, a gain of 8.7 per cent over the same week last year.

BY WALTER P. CHRYSLER.
(President of the Chrysler Corporation.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The coming year will be a good year for the automobile industry.

The confidence with which the automobile business can view 1926 indicates that the entire country will enjoy good times during all of the coming year. There was a time when the steel industry was used as an economic barometer. It is still a good one, but the automotive industry is equally good, if not better, because it is close to the ultimate market. Then, too, think of the industries more or less dependent upon the automotive industry—iron and steel, cement, aluminum, plate glass, leather, rubber, lumber, copper, tin, zinc, lead, nickel, paint and varnish, cotton, wool, etc.

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If every business could look ahead with the same confidence that the automobile can, then we would indeed have cause to feel very optimistic over the approaching year. It will be a good year. Everything indicates that.

Candidate For State Position



HERBERT L. CUSHING.
Superintendent of city schools at Ord, who has filed for nomination as state superintendent on the non-political ticket. He is 35 years old, a graduate of the University of Nebraska, and for four years was county superintendent in Valley county.

MANY COME TO WISE'S DEFENSE

Resignation From United Palestine Appeal May Be Prevented.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—References to Jesus as a "great moral and ethical leader," made by Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, have stirred up radical discussion thruout the country.

While the action of Nathan Straus in coming to Rabbi Wise's defense and pledging $150,000 to the Palestine foundation fund may prevent acceptance of Rabbi Wise's proffered resignation as chairman of the United Palestine Appeal, the campaign of opposition started by other rabbis will continue.

Support has been vouchsafed Rabbi Wise from many cities.

Dr. S. M. Melamed, writing here in the Jewish Tribune, traces the changed religious spirit of the Ghetto and says that "it happens for the first time in nineteen hundred years that a rabbi has had the courage to discuss the life of Jesus without prejudice and that, instead of continuing the old Jewish tradition, he makes an end of it, and goes a step farther by representing the founder of Christianity as the embodiment of religious and ethical idealism."

Rabbi Samuel M. Gump of Providence, R. I., agrees with Rabbi Wise that Jesus is not a myth, but "an ethical light which Judaism gave to the world."

Rbbi's Samuel Hirschberg of Milwaukee and Sidney Tedesche of New Haven, also have supported the views of Rabbi Wise.

Opposing sentiment is voiced by Rabbi Louis J. Schwefeld, of Washington.

"We have our own attitude as to Christ and Stephen Wise has not expressed it," commented Dr. Schwefeld. "He speaks not for Israel, which is Wise, but for Stephen Wise."

M'LAUGHLIN WILL ACCEPT POSITION

Banker To Be Next Police Commissioner Of New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—A banker will be the next police commissioner of New York, George V. McLaughlin, state banking superintendent, announced late today after a conference with Mayor-elect "Jimmy" Walker that he would accept the Tammy appointment which carries a salary of $10,000 a year.

It is understood that efforts will be made to increase this to $20,000. When McLaughlin was offered the position, it was pointed out that he would accept it only at a great personal sacrifice with regard to remuneration. But Governor Smith came down from Albany to aid in persuading the bank superintendent not to return to private life.

McLaughlin succeeds William Enright, who wroked up from the force.

Shortly fter "Jimmy" Walker was elected, he announced that a business man would be the next police commissioner. He had been urged to follow Philadelphia's example by choosing a military leader as the head of the police department.

The name of Col. William Mitchell was suggested.

But Tammany had decided upon a business man and McLaughlin, who although a democrat, never has been actively associated with machine politics, was the first man to whom the position was offered. It is believed that a great deal of the routine work of the police department will be lifted from McLaughlin's shoulders. A member of the uniformed force probably will have responsibility for assignment of men and distribution of personnel.

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U. S. PLEBISCITE COMMISSION TASK TO BE CONTINUED

Coolidge Decides Arbiters To Carry On, Buenos Aires Reports.

To Make Final Ruling On Chilean Appeal After January 9.

Editor's Note: La Prenza, Buenos Aires' largest newspaper, printed the text of the preliminary direction of President Coolidge on the appeal of Augustin Edwards, head of the Chilean delegation to the Tacna-Arica plebiscite commission, in which Edwards objected to the manner in which the plebiscite was conducted. The ruling has been withheld from publication in North America by the state department. The following tells the story:

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 26.—(By the United Press.) — President Coolidge, in ruling on the recent appeal of Augustin Edwards, head Tacna-Arica plebiscite commission, in which Edwards objected to the manner in which the plebiscite is being conducted, has decided that the activities of the plebiscite shall continue until questions still pending before him as arbitrator are disposed of.

That was revealed today when La Preza of Buenos Aires, a leading South American newspaper, published the full text of the American president's preliminary ruling. The decision had been withheld from publication in North America by the American state department and was published exclusively here by La Prenza.

Transmitted by Kellogg.

The document was signed by President Coolidge and transmitted to other nations by Secretary of State Kellogg.

It was considered of great importance here and importance also is attached from the standpoint of the United States owing to the fact that the prestige of tha country in South American affairs has become involved through efforts of the Harding and Coolidge administrations to settle the long standing dispute between Chile and Peru over control of the province of Tacha-Arica.

A final decision on the appeal will be made on the basis of documents to be submitted no later than January 9, together with arguments which are to be laid before the arbitrator, the ruling says.

The arbitrators have the right to study carefully any appeal based upon matters other than those contained in the plebiscite commission's motion, which was approved on December 9, and directs Chile to present before January 15 a statement of facts or accords of the commission with which Chile is not in accord.

The document specifies that the present decision is not to be interpreted as a cessation of the plebiscite commission's jurisdiction.

LARGE AREA OF COUNTRY HELD IN AN ICY GRIP

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night and Nebraska is slated for sub zero temperatures. Missouri will have taste of real winter by morning, the weather bureau forecasting a drop to near zero.

While the states west and south of Missouri have had rather mild weather, the cold wave will invade that area as far south as the Texas panhandle, where a hard freeze is probable. New Mexico may escape, for the forecast there is for warmer weather.

In Chicago, firemen were kept busy dashing out into the numbing cold to combat scores of fires that were caused by over-heated stoves. There was considerable suffering in the poor sections. Relief agencies supplied coal and warm clothing.

The cold even spread its paralysis to the criminal element. Few gunmen ventured out. No relief can be expected in this area for at least thirty-six hours, the weather man said. The adjoining territory may expect the cold to increase in intensity for the next two days.

A Cold Week Ahead.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(U. P.) —That infant 1926 would freeze to death if Father Time left him out in the open next week.

The United States weather bureau man, after looking over prospects from Medicine Hat to Key West, announced that the week starting Monday would be very cold.

No chance of warm weather until late in the week, after the New Year has opened, was seen for most of eastern two-thirds of the nation.

The bureau predicted much colder weather accompanied in many cases by snow flurries in many parts of the east over the week-end. Snow was expected by the forecasters tonight as far south as northern Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, North Carolina and Virginia.

The mercury in the capital had dropped to 22 degrees with prospects of going down 14 more during the night.

Heavy Snow At Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—One of the worst snow storms in many years swept Cleveland today. Snow fell to a depth of 5½ inches.

Trains from the east are many hours behind schedules, bus lines are late and many have been injured in autotmobile accidents.

Shortage of livestock and provisions was a possibility due to shipments being held up by severe snow storms through the west.

Spring-like At Denver.

DENVER, Dec. 26.—(U. P.) — A wintry wind from the northwest was tonight chilling a spring-like temperature that has existed here for several days.

At noon today the temperature was 60 above and the coldest registered last night was 40 degrees. The forecast for this area is snow and colder.

Storm Warning.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 26.—(U.P.) —The following storm warning was ordered by the local weather bureau tonight:

"Hoist northwest storm warnings 8:30 p. m. Texas coast area of high pressure moving rapily southward over plains states; strong northerly winds late tonight and Sunday; cold, below freezing to coast and severe freeze in interior Sunday

Colder in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.) —New York was in the grip of the first cold wave of the season tonight. The mercury was hovering around 20 degrees above zero, with somewhat colder weather predicted for Sunday.

It was predicted that the mercury would drop to 12 degrees above tomorrow and to 10 above Monday.

Other eastern cities reported correspondingly low temperatures. The cold wave is expected to continue for several days.

German Lawyer Is Visitor Here



DR. FRIEDRICH MEIER.

Who is spending the Christmas season with O. W. Meier and H. A. Meier and others of his relatives in this city. He will visit a number of the larger cities of America before returning to his home at Hanover, Germany. Dr. Meier is a German advocate.

RUMBLES OF SENATE TAX WAR HEARD

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Smoot. "The new bill, as compared to the 1918 tax law, will cut virtually in half the amount of tax paid by citizens with incomes ranging from $3,000 to $9,000."

The tax on incomes from $3,000 to $9,000, Smoot said, will be reduced 90.6 per cent over the 1918 tax, while giving a reduction of 81.41 on incomes from $10,000 to $14,000 as compared to the 1918 tax

The new bill, he added, will give similarly heavy reductions all down the line as compared to 1918 taxes. The benefits would be, he said:

A 75 per cent reduction on incomes from $15,000 to $19,000; 68 per cent on $20,000 to $24,000; 63 per cent on $25,000 to $29,000; 59 per cent on $30,000 to $34,000; 54 per cent on $35,000 to $40,000; 52 per cent on $41,000 to $44,000 and 51 per cent on incomes between $100,000 and $500,000.

On swollen incomes above $500,000, affecting only a few men, the reduction would be 63.78 per cent, as compared to the heavy surtaxes of 1918.

To Present Substitute.

Democratic opposition to the house rates, however, was announced by Senator Simmons of North Carolina, and Senator King of Utah, members of the senate finance committee. Simmons said he would sponsor a substitute bill affecting income tax rates, while King proposed the abolition of all excise taxes, the capital stck tax and a reduction of the corporation tax.

"I feel the government ought to adjust its taxes so as to relieve the people who bear the heaviest burdens in the states," said King. "I feel the government ought to get its greatest revenue from the largest incomes."

The democrats, it was said, will fight to increase the maximum surtax from 20 to 25 per cent and give greater reductions to incomes of the smaller business man ty- ranging from $10,000 to $50,000. In addition they will battle for revocation of all the socalled nuisance taxes.

ABSOLVED IN SHOOTING CASE

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continued. Gill tried to placate him, and ended by starting to force him out the door. He was pulled off after he had been slashed on the hand, and Pollett retreated out the door.

An attack on the door from outside prompted Gill to get a gun, a 32 caliber revolver. He shot once to scare Pollett. Pollett broke the door open by this time yelled through it, "I'll kill you," and hid by hugging the wall outside, according to the witness.

But instead of rushing forward, Gill advanced cautiously, saw his adversary also sighted him, and shot him clearly as the man came toward him. Pollett jumped over the banister railing outside and dropped on a shed roof outside, where he was found still alive a few minutes later. He died on the way to the hospital.

Others told rather similar stories. Many mentioned that Pollett was drunk and "mad," that he was "hunting trouble" and that all tried to calm him down before that trouble began. His wife, Mrs. Tiny Pollett stated that he had beat her and was drunk just before she went to the Gill home for protection.

Others who testified were: Alba Brown, Chief Peter Johnstone, William Burns, 1821 North Twenty-ninth street, who arrived with Pollett and was accused by one of the witnesses with having thrown a stone, which he denies; Frank Stepney, 2001 U street, Lulu Talbert, Allen Chrisman of 2219 P street, William Conrad, Tony Chrisman of 724 North Twelfth street, Dolores Talbot, and Officer Paul Stively.

PARSEES EXHIBIT AMAZING FEATS

Claim Revival of Ancient Secrets of Physical Culture Responsible.

Ordinary-Looking Members Do Marvels Of Strength By "Knowing How."

BOMBAY, India, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—The Parsees have recovered from their ancient past some marvelous secrets of physical culture, equally available for both old and young, it was indicated by a remarkable exhibition given here before the leaders of the Parsee sect by a small group which calls itself the Zoarastrian Health league.

A slim young school girl dressed in native costume but with her sleeves pinned back to free her arms, lifted a heavy army sabre —the kind that a cavalryman would exert himself to handle— and began first slowly, then more rapidly, swinging and flashing it through the air and around her head. She swayed toward it, pulled by its weight and she retreated staggering before it as it pressed its solid momentum against her, but she controlled it and with a slowing swing finally brought it to a dead stop before her and dropped it to the floor. The Parsees cheered and the school girl skipped to the wings.

Strange Wrestling.

Then some very ordinary school boys gave a wriggling, lightning-like exhibition of wrestling—a sort of compromise between native Indian wrestling and a kind of Parsee jiu-jitsu. Small boys flashed wriggling and kicking in the air and dropped with a thud on the great mat only to be up in a second tossing their late tormentors similarly or perhaps even more adroitly. It was a great contrast to the heavy western style of wrestling where two men grunt in a deadlock from which neither can budge. The Indian-Parsee version is more like Japanese tumbling except that the tumblers seek to tumble each other.

Then a middle-aged man who had it was explained, "only taken it up recently," showed some stunts in scientific weight-lifting; his face showed concentration but no strain while his biceps—very ordinary looking biceps—exerted themselves only moderately, as it seemed. But from various awkward positions he got a solid chunk, a hundredweight, into the air chiefly, as was explained, by "knowing how." Another devotee of the art who had concentrated on "muscle-control" lay down on the stage while the wheels of a heavy motor car ran over his abdomen.

CONNELL ASKS TERM BE CUT

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one selling advertising novelties and the other soap. Connell has claimed all along that Lukens was the "master mind" in their joint criminal venture, and that he himself was used by Lukens as the stool pigeon.

Connell went into the bank, stuck a gun into the cashier's face, ordered him into the vault, and grabbed $1,500 in cash, while Lukens stayed outside and kept watch. The alarm was given almost immediately, and the two men with their horse and buggy fled from the village, taking refuge in a cornfield. When the chase got hot, Connell shot and killed the two farmers, it is alleged. Lukens drove back to town, surrendered and told where Connell was hiding.

Several persons have written from Cheyenne county saying they do not consider Connell any more guilty than Lukens. One of these is Sheriff J. W. McDaniel. Connell is a little past 40 years of age.

Auto Thieves Ask Release.

Having done a little more than their minimum time on the sentences of 1 to 3 years each which they were given for stealing an automobile from Fred Hardey's rental agency in Lincoln, Clarence Lockwood and Charles Snyder, 31 and 26 years old, respectively, want the rest of their terms cancelled by commutation.

County Attorney Matson says in a letter to the board of pardons that the two men were engaged in systematic theft of autos at Lincoln, Nebraska City and Topeka, Kas., and reselling the machines after changing the numbers. Both pleaded guilty to the charge here. Matson thinks, however, that they are not very bad men.

A number of petitions and letters from Syracuse and Nebraska City have been received urging clemency for Snyder, who formerly lived in Otoe county.

In support of a pending request by Charles Wampole for commutation of his 12-year sentence for rape, in Dawes county, of which six and onehalf years has been served, it is represented to the board that he is below par mentally and has brothers and sisters in other state institutions. He pleaded guilty to decoying a feeble-minded girl into the woods. Another man, Herbert Rogers, was convicted on the same charge, but got only three years.

District Judge W. H. Westover of Rushville offers no objection to a commutation and Sheriff Vet Canfield favors it. On two previous occasions, the pardon board turned Wampole down. He is now 31 years old.

Herewith is the list of applications to be considered by the board on January 12:

Penitentiary—For Parole.

Lloyd Mashburn, Cass, breaking and entering, 1-10.
Timothy J. Clark, Lincoln, larceny, 1-7.
Kenneth McCoy, Douglas, forgery, 1-3.
Edward Knight, Dixon, auto stealing, 1-10.
Herbert Ironer, Buffalo, breaking and entering 1-2.
Joseph King, Cuming, forgery, 1-20.
James Zecha, Seward, burglary, 1-3.
Frank Archer, Platte, obtaining money under false pretense, 1-5.

For Commutation.

Charles Snyder, Lancaster, auto stealing, 3 years.
Clarence Lockwood, Lancaster, auto stealing, 3 years.
Frank Connell, Cheyenne, murder, life.
Charles Wampole, Dawes, rape, 12 years.

Reformatory—For Parole.

Bernard Bradley, Douglas, stealing and receiving stolen auto, 1-5.
Roy Carr, Douglas, robbery, 3-15.
Ray Hood, Douglas breaking and entering, 1-3.
Fred M. Cameron, Seward, auto stealing, 1-2.
Carl Slate, Saline, forgery, 1-5.
Thos. Green Cow, Thurston, forgery and counterfeiting bank check, 1-20.
Forrest Smith, Hitchcock, breaking and enetring, 1-5.
Pete Smith, Morrill, larceny, 1-3.
Marshall Conway, Gage, burglary, 1-3.

For Commutation.

Robert Stephens, Washington stealing poultry, 5 years.
Fred Schroeder, York, forgery, 3 years.

Two Anchors Torn Loose, Saved Ship With a Makeshift

CHATHAM, Mass., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—How they saved their ship from destruction in a heavy blow and an angry sea by fashioning an anchor out of chains after two anchors had been torn loose, was told this afternoon by the captain and his crew of two men of the two-masted schooner Mary Langdon, a shore off Cape Cod.

A detail of nine coast guardsmen was put abroad the stranded veteran coastal schnoor to help in efforts by the revenue cutter Acushnet in pulling the Mary Langdon from the sands.

RITTBERGER LOSS MAY BE MILLION

First Checkup Shows Huge Discrepancies In Illinois Firm's Books.

ELGIN, Ill., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Losses that may reach $1,000,000 have been found in a preliminary checkup of books belonging to the Charles Rittberger Co., real estate banking firm, it became knowi here today with the appointment of C. F. O'Hara, a bank president, as receiver.

The losses, which represent the savings of five hundred Kane county and Elgin families, may affect investors in North and South Dakota, where thousands of dollars have been tied up in farm mortgages, Elgin bankers said.

The president of the firm was jailed on charges of forgery.

WETS' HOPES STILL STRONG

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eral program to prepare a state of public opinion that in elections in the future will support moist candidates for congress. Only if their representation is increased can the anti-prohibitionists become effective. It can't be done by words and charges, but all these are necessary to their hopes of future congressional victories. There are at present, on a liberal estimate, about eighty members of congress who have wet sympathies. It is not believed, however, on a straight out vote on repeal of the Volstead act that the wets could muster more than forty votes. A greater number could be obtained on indirect votes on prohibition, the wets declare.

A passing of the months and an increase of anti-prohibition agitation may find the wets turning, as their final effort, toa constitutional amendment providing for "local option." This would be in form substantially as already presented by Senator Bruce, democrat of Maryland. This would leave the question of prohibition to states, with liquor handled and dispensed by the states themselves.

Contention of Wets.

The argument on this turns on the ancient and omnipresent states rights issue. Whether adopted or not, some of the wets insist that, in effect, prohibition finally will be enforced in those communities that want it and liquor will be fairly easily obtainable always in communities that oppose the law. On this contention they point to the working of the fifteenth amendment —granting impartial suffrage to all citizens. They insist that in some sections of the country the negro, by indirect intimidation which has grown into general acceptance, does not vote in great numbers, despite the constitutional guarantees adopted with so much bitterness during the reconstruction period following the Civil war.

The drys will not be idle during the period the wets try to keep the prohibition issue alive and fresh.

Pressing to hold the ground gained and wishing to lose none, the prohibitionists will seek to make the law more stringent by compulsory jail sentence, search of homes by agents, military forces to enforce the law, etc.

On one point, wets and drys agree: "We have just begun to fight."

Coast Guard Makes Request.

NEW LONDON, Dec. 26.—(U. P.) —The coast guard has asked the war department for aid in preventing rum runners from obtaining Liberty motors with which to equip their speedboats. Com. E. N. Young, of the base here, said tonight.

Frankly admitting that the new rum runners' boats are too fast for the coast guard craft, Commander Young said that unless some means is taken to prevent smugglers from obtaining Liberty airplane motors and converting them to marine uses, rum runners will increase along the Atlantic coast.

Scores of fast powerboats have been built and equipped with Liberty motors recently, he said, and none of the coast guard patrol boats is fast enough to catch them. He cited the recent fortunate capture of a speedboat out of New Bedford with 200 cases of whisky aboard, which was capable of making forty knots an hour with two Liberty motors of 400 horsepower each.

Efforts of the coast guard to develop speed boats of its own have not been altogether successful, the commander said.

KIP'S BRIDE TO TRAVEL.

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Alice Jones Rhinelander will leave the scene of her romance with her aristocratic husband, Leonard Kip Rhinelander, whose marriage annulment action against his quadroon bride recently was defeated, for an extended trip "somewhere" Alice declared tonight she was not certain whether she would go to England, the home of her negro father and white mother, or tour the United States.

Radium Claims Victim.

Orange, N. J., Dec. 26—(I. N. S.)—Miss Marjorie Carlough, 30, is the latest in the list of seven casualties reported due to radium poisoning. Miss Carlough, a former employe in the plant of the United States Radium corporation of East Orange, died in her home here today after a two year illness from anemia.

ROB WINNER STORE.

WINNER, S. D., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Over $1,000 worth of clothing was stolen by robbers from a local merchant here early today.

A SHADOW OF LOWDEN LOOMS IN BACKGROUND

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The Coolidge farm program calls for enactment of a law extending existing facilities for aid to co-operative organizations. This is to be rendered through assistance in organizing more complete and wider dissemination of market news and information, both domestic and foreign, and condition of home and foreign markets as to stocks and surplus.

President Coolidge has announced his opposition to any form of legislation fixing prices of farm products, or tending to price fixing. Opponents of a federal export corporation to market the farm surplus abroad insist the immediate effect of such activities would be the fixation of domestic prices.

There is expected to be considerable subsidiary farm legislation attempted at the present session. Senators and representatives have announced a purpose to seek more accuracy in cotton, wheat and other commodity production reports and elimination of speculation or gambling in handling of these commodities on the sales exchanges. A renewal is expected of demands for preferential transportation rates for farm products.

Would Extend Activities.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Proposals that the newly established national agricultural credit corporation banks extend their activities so that they will loan money to farmers on livestock in a fashion similar to the aid which they are offering corn farmers wil lbe placed before the directors of these two institutions of Iowa when they meet here Monday.

Mark G. Thornburg, state secretary of agriculture, has urged such a course in a letter to directors of both the Des Moines and the Fort Dodge credit banks. President R. A. Pearson and Dean C. F. Curtiss of Iowa State college, are among the agricultural authorities expected to appear before the directors at this conference.

Jardine Hopeful.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(U. P.) —Secretary of Agriculture Jardine is hopeful that a solution may be found for the problem of dealing with surplus crops, but he is unalterably opposed to any proposition based on government handling of crops and price fixing as provided in the McNary-Haugen bill, it was learned tonight.

He believes that solution of the surplus crops problem may be found in the creation of a government board, which in time of emergency would designate a co-operative marketing organization to handle the surplus products. That would leave the government out of actually handling products.

"A sound plan directed to the surplus question will be practically certain, in my judgment, to recognize the co-operative movement and carry the approval of co-operative leaders.

"Farmers, through their own organizations, have a most powerful instrument to control the movement of surplus crops into consumptive channels.

"After a thorough study of the problem, I have come to the conclusion that there may be legitimate functions which a government board or a commission might render, which would encourage rather than discourage initiative co-operativeness along the board lines I have constantly held for."

A New York Man Tries to End Life By Using Dynamite

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(I.N.S.)—After he had used an ingenious device to blow out his brains with a stick of dynamite, according to police, a man believed to be Frank McIntyre of Boston, was taken to St. John's hospital in Long Island City in a critical condition today.

The noise of an explosion brought a policeman to an empty lot in Long Island City. What he saw, he reported, indicated that McIntyre, sitting on the ground, had hooked up two wires to a dry battery, one of them to the cap on a stick of dynamite, and then formed a circuit by touching the other end of the stick with the second wire.

CANADIANS HONORED.

MONTREAL, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.) —Christmas honors granted by France to Canadians were made public here today. His grace, Arch- F. L. Beique and Athanas F. David, bishop Mathieu, of Regina, Senator provincial secretary, were named officers of the Legion of Honor. Ferdinand Rinfret, editor of Le Canada and P. R. Dutremblay, M. L. C., were named chevaliers of the legion.

HOWELL ASKS EXPERIMENT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—After a conference with President Coolidge at the white house, Senator Howell, republican of Nebraska, anounced today he would introduce a bill appropriating funds for the bureau of standards of experiment with making sugar out of artichokes.

Preliminary tests, Howell said, indicated the work can be successfully done.

White Potato Growers Reap Large Profits

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—A short crop and a rising market have brought wealth to the American white potato growers, it was indicated in figures made public today by the department of agriculture.

This year's crop will total 323,243,000 bushels, the farm price of which on December 1 was $1.72 making the aggregate value of the crop $605,110,896.

Last year potato growers harvested potatoes to the value of only 62.6 cents per bushel or $266,227,158 for the season's crop.

Although Maine's crop declined slightly less than 10,000,000 bushels this year, the state will retain first place as the country's leading potato producer, with a production this year of 34,170,000 bushels as compared with 44,100,000 bushels last. The farm price rose from 43 cents last year to $2 on December 1, last.

Minnesota also grew less potatoes, but clung to second place last year. The price paid to farmers increased from 27 cents last year to $1.54 this year.

Mosul, Where War Machine Is Being Oiled



A street in Mosul, center of the rich oil fields over which Great Britain and Turkey are at loggerheads. Inset is Mustapha Kemal, president of Turk republic, whose uncompromising stand in the Mosul matter is responsible for the present crisis. Instead of the traditional fez, he wears a hat, a symbol of Turkey's modern ideas.

OPERATORS MAKE AN UNLOOKED FOR MOVE END STRIKE

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terms of a new contract. The new contract—for a long term — must provide a way to bring out all the facts, prevent suspensions and adjust wages.

"But that is something we can work out with the union. The main thing is that you can go to work at once, sure of the old wages for at least eight months.

"Think it over. Talk it over amoung yourselves and with your leaders. Ask your friends if it is not a good proposition."

The operators' proposal came in the nature of a bombshell. It had not been expected that they would make any move before the conference which they have agreed to hold with the miners' leaders in this city Tuesday.

Priests Meet Wednesday.

Impetus is expected to be given to the operators' new offer by the non-English speaking priests who have been urging an early ending of the strike. They met in Pennsylvania several days ago and will meet again next Wednesday in Wilkes-Barre. One of the spokesmen of the priests said:

"Unless there are assurances that mining can be resumed by the middle of January, we may take drastic action."

What this "drastic action" would be they did not indicate.

The strike now is in its tenth week and both sides have been reported as being pretty tired of the situation. The miners are low in funds; the operators have been losing heavily in profits and business in the coal towns of Pennsylvania has been hard hit.

The miners are said to be losing more than $1,000,000 a day in wages. Stories of destitution in miners' families are coming out of the coal regions.

The operators' losses have run up into the millions. Not only that, but it is declared a considerable amount of their business has been permanently taken away from them by firms that are selling coal substitutes which the public has been educated to use in large amounts.

Lewis Is Silent.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, refused flatly to discuss today purported statements from the operators in the east offering to take the striking anthracite miners back to work on the basis of the old wage scale. The proposal, he said, was old.

A statement will be made by the miners in New York on Tuesday, Lewis declared.

"I am here on a Christmas vacation," Lewis said. "I have nothing to say whatever on the strike situation until next Tuesday's meeting in New York."

Unyielding Attitude.

WILKES BARRE, Pa., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—An unyielding attitude toward attempts to end the anthracite suspension was expressed by Thomas Kenpedy fo Hazelton, international secretary-treasurer of United Mine Workers of America, in a statement given out tonight.

"The anthracite mine workers and their officers," Kennedy said, are fighting for a principle, for a just cause, and we will continue in worthy endeavors until a just and satisfactory agreement is made."

The Irish-American priests who issued a supplementary letter on the suspension also are critized by Kennedy.

"Their attitude on arbitration is directly in line with the operators' position and would preclude settlement of any question direct," Kennedy said.

City Briefs

Cab Strikes Man—A. E. Berry, 1244 K street, was struck by a taxicab driven by H. A. Gordon on Eleventh street between N and O streets Saturday evening at 9:30. He was taken to the Lincoln Sanitarium by Gordon, where it was reported that his injuries are not believed to be serious. Dr. Earnest Everett attended him.

Christmas Unites Brother, Sisters After 60 Years

CARLISLE, Pa., Dec. 26. —(I.N.S.)—For the first time in sixty years, a brother and four sisters were reunited at Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Krall, Grantham, Pa. The members of the family at the dinner table ranged in ages from 71 to 84 years.

One sister, Mrs. Martha Potts, Greenville, Ill., made the journey east especially for the dinner. All of the others reside near Carlisle.

The last time they all met together was at the family table in 1865.

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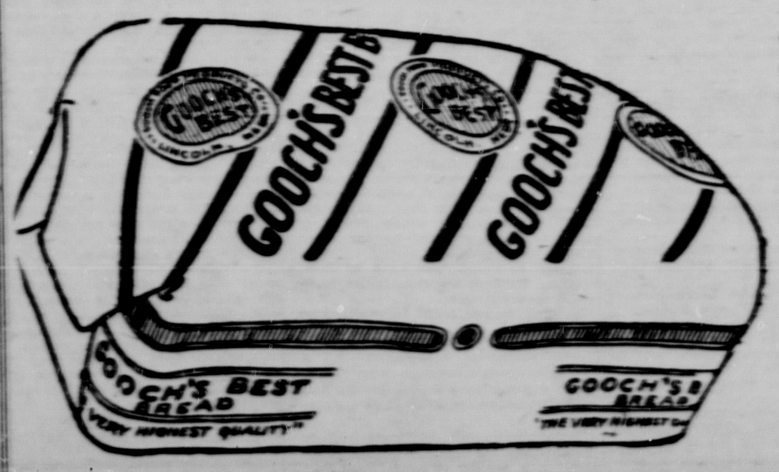
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THE YEAR DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

Business and industry will have occasion to remember 1925 for many years to come. It brought the greatest measure of prosperity, all lines taken as a whole, that this country, the richest nation in the world, has ever known. It provided more contradictions and surprises for those who are supposed to know something about economics and business than any year on record. It defied all prophecy and experience.

During the year now drawing to a close there was the culmination of the greatest Wall street boom in the history of the stock exchange. In reality this upward swing of prices started 22 months ago. It took form slowly and cautiously and then immediately the election of President Coolidge in November of 1922 became very pronounced. But it was not until the spring of 1925 that the great bull market began to smash all-time trading records. It will probably be years again before stocks feel the stimulus of such feverish and at the same time such sustained buying as characterized the market in the summer and early fall months.

In the last quarter of a century there have been seven "bull" markets. The first started in the fall of 1900 and continued through to 1903 during that period when the merger of great industrial and business establishments characterized the activities in America. It was really the starting point of American industry as we know it now. It was the beginning of the huge organizations of capital, wherein it was found more economical and more efficient to bring the widely scattered and separate plants in the same line of industry under one management and one control. It disappeared in the "rich man's" panic of 1903 and '04. Then came the Roosevelt "bull" market in 1906 and '07 with the subsequent smash in the panic of 1907. The "recovery" market carried prices back again and until 1913 and the earlier months of 1914 they remained on a fairly even keel when the initial depression over war again placed the "bears" in control. Then followed the "war bull" market, and the post-war "bull" market, with deflation depression, the "recovery bull" market and finally the "Coolidge bull" market. It carried the average price of industrials far above all previous records. It forged steadily ahead until November, when an increase in the rediscount rates gave the bears their opportunity and prices dropped sharply. It set a new mark on the stock exchange of total sales in one day aggregating 3,200,000 shares.

After all Wall street is a fair barometer of business and industry. When business is good and industry is flourishing, Wall street is active. When business is bad and industry sluggish, Wall street reflects it. The stock market as a rule reacts to the general conditions which prevail throughout the entire country.

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There were prophecies immediately after Mr. Coolidge's election of a banner year for business in 1925.

It was slow in materializing.

In the early spring months, employment was good, business steady and industry fairly active although in no measure fulfilling the sanguine predictions which had been made. Midsummer came and there was no customary or traditional cessation of activity. The earlier fall months brought a flood of business for practically every section of the country that shattered every precedent. The volume of sales in most retail lines was greater than previously. Wholesalers were pleasantly surprised by the trade. Banks were overflowing with money and the loan rates were low but even then it was impossible to place all of the available funds.

Now for the contradictions.

Steel has generally been accepted as the barometer of business activity in this country. This has not been the most prosperous year on record for the great steel plants of America. Their earnings for 1925 will be smaller than they have been several years. There was none of the feverish activity in production.

The railroads enjoyed their greatest year. Fifteen of the leading automobile companies of America produced and sold more cars than they ever handled before. The federal reserve bank system had its greatest year. A dozen different retail lines reported great prosperity. Steel did not keep pace with other lines of industry.

When money is cheap ordinarily prices advance. Living costs are somewhat higher than they have been but there has been no marked jump upwards. Sugar has been cheaper than it ordinarily is. Flour was low in comparison to wartime figures although it has been advancing recently. Automobile values have been the greatest ever offered. It is apparent that the volume of trade accounted for the profits made rather than higher prices.

It is worth remembering that 1925 did not prove any of the existing general principles which guide business and industry. It was as full of contradictions as the March weather in Nebraska.

FROM PRIVATE TO GENERAL.

A somewhat different view of the army is afforded in the news of the elevation of Brigadier General Preston Brown to the rank of major general. He got there by hard work, and unfortunately it is not always understood that the man who succeds best in the army is the one who isn't afraid of labor.

The commissioning of Brown as a major general took place in the barracks at Fort Hamilton, in the same quarters where in March 1897, he was made a second lieutenant in the Artillery. He had turned from the halls of Yale university to win his commission on his own merits. He became a corporal from an enlisted man in the ranks and then a second lieutenant and it might be said that he had fulfilled his ambition.

But the steps which carried him from private to second lieutenant were destined to take him much further. He was a sticker for work. He did not know what it was to quit. He started in the early morning hours and he did not finish until late at night. As a brigadier general it is said that he was the first man awake before daybreak and the last man at the post to retire at night. He read military history omniverously. He is recognized as an authority on the Napoleonic campaigns and the Civil war. He knows the battlefield of Gettysberg like a book.

Certain other characteristics contributed to his success. He was never a "yes" man. He had a faculty for plain speaking and when the occasion demanded it he never hesitated to use it. He has been independent in thought and action and never sought to please for the mere sake of pleasing. He was not a West Pointer and he did not seek to curry favor with those who came from the military academy. Nevertheless some of his warmest and closest friends are those who were trained at West Point.

It would seem from the facts in General Brown's deserved promotion that the army is not a whole lot different than business and industry.

RAYMOND E. MATTISON.

Ray Mattison, the general manager of the Lincoln Telegraph & Telephone company, filled a most difficult position with a marked degree of success. Prior to succeeding Leonard Hurtz, Mr. Mattison was the contact point between the company he represented and the public. He was on the job when this relationship was most delicate, when the "bug" of public-owned companies was strongest and when it was no easy task to prevent thoughtless, ill-advised legislation. Upon his shoulders was heaped public irritation and ill-will and he took it all smilingly and in good humor. The fact that this feeling of hostility was superseded by a general feeling of good will throughout most of the territory where the Lincoln company operates is a fine tribute to Mr. Mattison's capabilities and tact.

Mr. Mattison was a friendly man, a kindly man, a genial soul, deeply valued by his friends and associates. He did not say unkind things. He was not guilty of thoughtless acts. Nature had very generously endowed him in temperament and in physical appearance for the work which he carried on. He made friends where most of us would have made enemies—in that he was a most unusual man. His death was a big loss to the company which he served so well and to the community where he made his home.

BENEFITS OF MECHANICAL POWER.

Nothing has contributed in as great measure to the prevailing high wage standard and general prosperity of American workingmen as the tremendous increase in the use of mechanical power during the past fifty years. This has taken place in industry, in agriculture and transportation and a study of the subject which has just been made by the National Industrial Conference board shows that primary power now available in the manufacturing industries, mining, agriculture and on the railroads amounts to 150,000,000 horsepower. Of this 33,000,000 is available in the manufacturing industries, as against 2,346,142 horsepower in 1869, the earliest date covered by the study.

This immense increase in power means not only a corresponding increase in production! it brings with it additional benefits to the individual worker, as well as to industry as a whole and to society at large. In this connection, it is pointed out by the board, that to the extent that mechanical power is harnessed and made to do the work formerly done by men—the purely physical things that machines can do, to that extent men are released from physical work to do the things that require brainwork.

Furthermore, inasmuch as power application makes possible greater production at lower unit cost, the effectiveness of the individual worker, and with it, that of the entire industrial enterprise is increased, permitting greater earnings, not only for the investor but for the workers in that industry.

During the last twenty-five years installed primary power in the manufacturing industries increased 236 per cent, while the number of wage earners increased only 90 per cent and the volume of production 185 per cent. The purchasing power of the average weekly wage in the United States today is 28 per cent greater than it was in 1914. At the beginning of this century there were only behind each wage earner in industry 2.14 horse power, whereas today there are 3.33 horse power behind each such worker, an increase of 56 per cent.

This increase in the use of power has made possible quantity production at lower cost and has at the same time financially benefitted everyone concerned.

MR. MOREHEAD'S TAX VOTE.

Congressmen John H. Morehead of the First Nebraska district was one of the ten democrats who cast a negative vote when the tax reduction bill came up for final reading and passage in the lower branch of congress. There were 25 votes cast against the bill, including 11 republicans, 10 democrats and 4 independents.

Mr. Morehead's vote was thoroughly in keeping with the interests of his constituency. In its present form the revenue measure drafted by the house does not meet the views of an overwhelming majority of the voters in this district or in any other section of a western state. Two provisions in it make it most agreeable to the Atlantic seaboard, and particularly to the New England states. One of these deals with the proposed revision of the inheritance tax. The other relates to surtaxes. The great reduction in surtaxes will be participated in by few, if any Nebraskans. It is the exceedingly rich men in New York City and in other eastern industrial and commercial centers who will especially benefit by reason of the reduction in the surtax. For the men of comfortable income, ranging up to $50,000 a year, the surtax remains practically the same. Not until the $100,000 figure is reached is the reduction of great consequence. From there on it is very sharp and pronounced.

Now while Congressman Morehead is in favor of tax reduction all along the line, he does not believe it is sound principle to grant favors to some not enjoyed by others. He and his associates made a vain effort to have the bill amended in this particular and failing in this, he cast his vote against it.

In another instance he was reflecting Nebraska sentiment when he voted against the measure. This state is opposed to tinkering with the federal inheritance tax. It is opposed to the efforts of New England to reserve these great fortunes to a few eastern states for taxation when the wealth has been created through contribution from all of the states.

The senate gives promise of straightening these matters. It will probably amend the bill to correct those injustices and faults which led Mr. Morehead and some of his associates in the lower house to vote against it.

THE NEBRASKA ATHLETIC BOAD.

The effort of one of the three Omaha newspapers to "rawhide" the University of Nebraska Athletic board into drafting a football schedule to meet that publication's wishes is amusing but at the same time slightly annoying and harmful to athletics.

The board is the best judge of these matters. It knows its schedule requirements more thoroughly than any outsider. The board has a financial problem to deal with as well as the general conditions which must be met in schedule making. Nebraska has built a big stadium which is not entirely paid for. The athletic board is now building a field house of gigantic proportions for which it has assumed financial responsibility. It must arrange its schedule to prove attractive financially. The game which the Omaha paper insists should be played does not hold out promise of large financial returns—a serious matter when it is recalled that under Missouri Valley conference regulations, only eight games can be played.

As a matter of fact the Nebraska board has revealed excellent judgement in all of its work. It has taken a fine, clean view of athletics, has endeavored to promote the interest in sports along entirely legitimate lines and in accordance with the best collegiate traditions.

Thomas Parr, the English Methuselah, who lived to be 152, and married a second time at 120, never had any trouble until his fame spread. He lived on the simplest of foods. Finally the king wanted to show him honor so he invited him to London and feasted him so royally that he died.

We wonder whether a young fellow who intends to burgle for his living is compelled by the associated Burglars of America to serve an apprenticeship.

Rogers Takes A Look At Elinora, Mellie, Nick, and Congress.

BY WILL ROGERS.



"I begin to get scared."

Well, all I know is just what I see as I tour the open pastures of America, where women are men, and coal is scarce, out where men are being manicured and women are rough shod. It just looks like I run right into everything that was happening the last couple of weeks. I was in Boston the day Miss Elinora Sears, the Boston society girl walked into town from Providence, not such a foolhardy feat if you know Providence. Society, unable to find a companion in Providence, left it flat at one o'clock in the morning and set out to walk back to society in Boston.

New England was tired of reading the headlines of the doing of Red Grange of Wheaton, Illinois, and Mrs. Miriam Ferguson of Temple, Texas; so Elinora and "Mellie" Dunham (Ford's relaxation) made a raid on the front pages socially, athletically and artistically. Elinora putting over the first two and "Mellie" wrestling with the art end of it. Elinora started out with some young men to accompany her. Being members of Harvard's late football team they arrived by sleeper 5 hours later than Elinora. An automobile was to have accompanied her but it got caught in traffic and arrived the next day.

The social climbers must not get the idea that walking was how Elinora got into society. If they thought that they would walk from Frisco to New York. In fact, most of them have already walked further than that trying to get in. You know through this girl doing this it is liable to bring walking back among grown people. They are liable to teach it to grown-ups like they do to little babies.

But it's getting so a man that has a car now walks further than he ever did in his life, walking back from where he parked it at. The thing about Elinora's walk was that she had money to ride. That's what made it news. If she had been poor and forced to walk even if she had made it in an hour, her picture would just about have made a Yeast add.

Now "Mellie" Dunham, he is the first person we have heard of from Maine since James G. Blaine. Maine had been furnishing most of our sea coast but very little of our Who's Who. So when "Mellie" got a "command performance" before Henry Ford at "Castle Dearborn," he just reached for his wife and his fiddle, grabbed some rosin off a tree, and put Maine on the map in the winter time. (Something the entire state had never been able to do before.) New England papers sent some reporters right with this fine old fellow and his wife. That's more than they did when the democratic delegation left in 1924 for Madison Square garden.

Up here they don't consider anything that a democrat does as news. Well, I am strong for "Mellie." I danced all my young life to the music of old country fiddlers. In fact, I don't drag a bad bow myself. I had a fiddle and I was practicing on it every minute and I was in a big show with dear Blanche Ring, "The Wall Street Girl." She stood it as long as she could. Finally she sent word, "Will, you can stay, but that agony box you are scraping on must vacate." Blanche just about wrecked my musical future. If it hadn't been for her it would have been the "Oklahoma Fiddler" that went to fiddle at Dearborn. I would have been the "Local Nero that fiddled while Ford financed."

I notice Blanche let her husband, Charley Winninger learn a lot of old instruments and I played twice as good as he did. In fact I think it was him that had my fiddling finished.

Then as I couldn't make good in the musical end of Terpsichore I "called" the dances. (You City Slickers don't know what the "caller" is. You think it's a poker player.) The "caller" is the one who "calls" out the figures the dancers go through. Well, some of the best dancers in Claremore, Oklahoma (and when you say the best dancers there you are just about talking about the best there is), have danced to my "calling." So I am liable to get with Mr. Ford yet.

Well, as I say, I was right in Boston when Elinora "walked out" on Providence, and "Mellie" pulled a Red Grange and turned professional, and went into vaudeville. I also was in South Bend, Ind., the day before Knute Rockne left for New York. Knute showed me all over that wonderful school, Notre Dame. I had all the football team on the stage that night, and what a bunch of the boys. No wide-bottom pants and fur overcoats among that gang. Corduroy pants and old sweaters or leather jackets. Not a pair of knee breeches in that school. No wonder he gets a real team out of that bunch. Knute didn't say anything to me about going to start this course in penmanship in New York. He hadn't signed a thing when I saw him, but I am with Knute. I bet you he was in the right.

Then I was in Clarksburg, the home of John W. Davis. (They voted against him there.) Stonewall Jackson was born there. They are just beginning to find out now that he amounted to something everywhere else. It's a dandy fine town though, and going along fine. Tremendous coal interests there.

Went to Baltimore. The night I played Baltimore I went over and spent the afternoon at Washington, D. C. (Don't Complain). I rushed up to the capitol to congratulate Nick Longworth on becoming toastmaster of the hungeriest banquet in the world. He had moved into new offices and I couldn't hardly find him. I never saw such a swell office outside of a movie magnet that had just gone from bastings to celluloid. Representative Garner of Texas (one of the really big men of the democratic party) come in to see Nick while I was there. He is the only democrat outside of Finis Garrett of Tennessee that can get into a republican's office without knocking. Well, I had just been all over Texas, so I had to tell Mr. Garner about his old home state. He had heard of the impeachment of Jim, but hadn't heard of the election of Ma. He recalled the days of Bowie and Crockett., and asked if the old Alamo was still down there. I told him he ought to visit the old state again, as he was getting old now. He promised he would. I told him there was a fellow in Fort Worth named Carter that would give him a cane if he ever went down there.

I had just been to Cincinnati, Nick's old birthplace, so Nick was glad to hear of the old state and town. I don't care where you come from, even if it's Ohio, you kinder always have a feeling for the old home state, and secretly long to get back there some day. I could just tell by Nick's questions that he was interested still in the old Rhineland, and he told me that when Paulina grew up he was going to take her back there on a visit and show her the old first district. I told him I had spoken of him in my act out there, and that he would be surprised the several people who remembered him.

Congress was in session at the time I was in Nick's office. (I mean suite.) I asked he and Garner why they weren't in there. Nick said. "I am speaker; not listener." Garner said, "Why go in and listen to something that I told the fellow to say?"

I asked them, "What are they talking about in there?" They said, "The Tax." I said, "Why that ought to be a good live subject." Nick said, "Yes it has been ever since Thomas Jefferson forged the Declaration of Indifferenec."

I said to them, "Well, I am going in there and hear it." They replied, "Go ahead; you do it at your own peril."

You know how a good serial story or a novel leaves you, just at that exciting place. Well, that's what I am going to do. I know you are just crazy to find out what was doing in that great lawmaking factory. Well, you will have to wait till the next issue. I am not going to tell you. I will just give you one little inkling; just a peep, that's all. I went in. I was all alone in that gallery. Somebody was talking, but there was only four members present in their seats. Oh, it was lonesome in that place! I began to get scared.

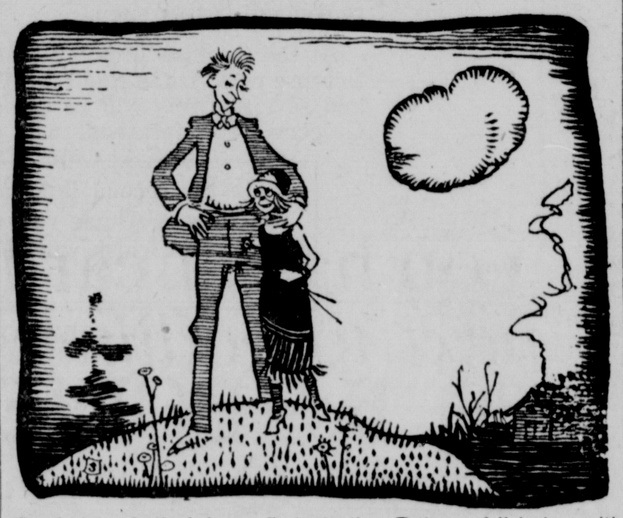
It reminded me of the night I played Madison, Wisconsin.

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Stephen Leacock

OLD PROVERBS MADE NEW

The Time Has Come for a 1925 Edition, with Amendments and Annotations.



"People 'of a feather' do not flock together. Tall men fall in love with little women."

It has occurred toi me that somebody in the English department of our colleges ought to get busy and re-write our national proverbs. They are all out of date. They don't fit any longer. Indeed, many of them are precisely the converse of existing facts.

Our proverbs have come down to us from the days of long ago; days when the world was very primitive and very simple and very different; when people never moved more than a mile and a half from home and were all afraid of the dark; and when wisdom was handed out by old men with white whiskers, every one of whom would be "retired" nowadays by any first class board of trustees at past the age-limit of common sense.

But in those days all the things that were said by these wise old men, who had never seen a motor car, were gathered up and called proverbs and repeated by all the common people as the last words of wisdom. The result is that even today we still go on repeating them, without realizing how hopelessly they are off the track.

Take as a first sample the proverb that is perhaps the best known in our language:

Birds of a Feather Flock Together.

But they don't. Ask any first class naturalist. If the wise old men had taken another look, they would have seen that the last thing birds ever want to do is to flock together. In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred they keep away from their own species, and only flock when it is absolutely necessary. So much for the birds.

But the proverb is really supposed to refer to people and then it is wrong again. People "of a feather" do not flock together. Tall men fall in love with little women. A girl with a beautiful fair skin and red hair marries a man who looks like a reformed orang-outang. A professor makes a friend of an auctioneer and a banker would rather spend a day with an Adirondack fishing-guide than with a whole vaultful of bankers. Burglars during the daytime go and read in the public library. Forgers in their off time go and sing in a choral society, and choral leaders when they are not singing shoot craps.

In short, there is nothing in the proverb whatsoever. It ought to be revised under the modern conditions to read:

Birds of any particular feather and persons of any particular character or occupation show upon the whole a disposition rather to seek out something dissimilar to their own appearance and nature than to consort with something homologous to their own essential entity.

In that shape one has a neat, workable proverb. Try another:

A Rolling Stone Gathers No Moss.

Entire wrong again. This was supposed to show that a young man who wandered from home never got on in the world. In very ancient days it was true. The young man who stayed home and worked hard and tilled the ground and goaded oxen with a long stick like a lance found himself as he grew old a man of property, owning four goats and a sow. The son who wandered forth in the world was either killed by the cannibals or crawled home years afterwards. So the old men made the proverb.

But nowadays it is exactly wrong. It is the rolling stone that gathers the moss. It is the ambitious boy from Honkville, Indiana, who trudges off to the city leaving his elder brother in the barnyard and who later on makes a fortune and founds a university. While his elder brother still has only the old farm with three cows and a couple of pigs, he has a whole department of agriculture with great sheds full of Tanworth hogs and a professor to every six of them.

In short, in modern life it is the rolling stone that gathers the moss. And the geologists say that the moss on the actual stone was first started in exactly the same way. It was the rolling of the stone that smashed up the earth and made the moss grow.

Take another proverb:

All Is Not Gold That Glitters.

How perfectly ridiculous! Everybody in the days in which we live knows—even a child knows—that all is gold that glitters. Put on clothes enough, appearance enough, pretense enough, and you will be accepted everywhere. Just do a little glittering and everybody will think you are gold. Make a show, be a humbug, and you will succeed so fast that presently, being very wealthy and prominent, you will really think yourself a person of merit and intellect.

In other words, the glitter makes the gold. That is all there is to it. Gold is really one of the most useless of all material objects. Even now we have found no real use for it, except to fill our teeth. Any other employment of it is just glitter. So the proverb might be revised to read:

Every thing or person may be said to stand in high esteem and to pass at a high value provided that it or he makes a sufficient show, glitter, or appearance, the estimation being in inverse ratio to the true quantitative measurement of the reality of it. them or her.

That makes a neat workable proverb, expressed with up-to-date accuracy.

Or here is another famous proverb that is exactly the contrary of truth:

People Who Live in Glass Houses Ought Not To Throw Stones.

Not at all. They are the very people who ought to throw stones and to keep on throwing them all the time. They ought to keep up such a fusillade of stones from their glass house that no one can get near it.

Or if the proverb is taken to mean that people who have faults of their own ought not totalk of other people's faults, it is equally mistaken. They ought to talk of other people's faults all the time so as to keep attention away from their own.

But the list of proverbs is so long that it is imposible to do more than make a casual mention of a few others.

One swallow does not make a summer. Perhaps not. But there are ever so many occasions when one swallows—just one single swallow—is better than nothing at all. And if you get enough of them, they do make a summer.

Charity begins at home. Perfectly absurd. Watch any modern city householder when a beggar comes to his door. Charity begins with the Federated Charities Office, or with the Out-of-Work Mission, or with the City hall, or if need be, with the Police court—in short, anywhere but at home. Our whole effort is now to keep charity as far from home as possible.

Even a worm will turn at last. Wrong. It turns at once, immediately. It never waits.

A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush. Yes, but a bird in a good restaurant is worth ten of either of them.

There—that's enough. Any reader of this paper may go on having fun with the other proverbs. I give them to him.

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NEXT WEEK.

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Discoveries In Humans

Forgotten Assistant Ballet Master Discovered Ann Pavlova's Talent



"She pirouetted about the room as lightly as a breeze."

BY PRESTON WRIGHT.

It is at the Ipstitute Mariensky in Petrograd that the hopes of those who aspire to a career in the greatest of all ballets are uplifted dashed to the ground.

Here go all those young Russians whose families or friends have sufficient influence to gain them an audition. This takes place before some assistant of the master of the ballet. Each year these supernumeraries of the opera pass verdicts upon untold numbers and varieties of talents. And if for a moment their judgment goes astray in that moment a great genius may be lost to the world.

Admission to the institute means free training and education and also free maintenance at the state's expense.

Among girls none are accepted under the age of ten or over the age of thirteen.

In the days before the revolution, when the opera and the ballet were "imperial," the pupils of the Institute Mariensky were actually members of the Czar's household. It was in this period that an attache of the institute, opening the door of an ante room one audition morning years ago, and surveying a score of youthful aspirants waiting anxiously, called out:

"Anna Pavolva!"

Dancer Was Frail.

A tiny wisp of a girl, so frail that it seemed she could not withstand a single determined wintry blast, separated from the group, her hand in that of her mother, a woman as fragile looking as the child.

They entered the audition room. One glance was sufficient to identify them in the eyes of the assistant ballet master who awaited them. They were poor—very poor, and also very humble.

"I wonder," he thought to himself, "if this sparrow believes it can win a place some day in the imperial ballet!"

Probably the failure of Anna Pavlova's exterior to promise much made that which followed all the more impressive. Dancing, as was her privilege, her own improvization, she at once displayed the rare grace and understanding which in later years was to win the admiration of a whole world.

The art to her was as natural as breathing. Dark eyes glowing, dark tresses tossing, she pirouetted about the room as lightly as a breeze.

"Why, the child has genius!" exclaimed the assistant. He sent her to his chief, the master of the ballet. He too was impressed.

"Do you want badly to be a dancer?" he asked Anna.

Did Nothing But Dance.

"Oh, yes," replied the child and her mother added:

"She wants nothing else! A month ago I took her to the opera to Tchaikowsky's 'Sleeping Beauty'. She never had seen a ballet before. Since then she has done nothing but dance. Dance, dance, dance! And always she is asking me to let her be a dancer.

'I am poor and a widow. I must make my own living. For some time I resisted. But she did not stop. Finally I went to some friends who have influence. They helped me to obtain an audition. And here we are."

The master surveyed **Anna** once more.

"She is very tiny; she doesn't look strong," he said. "How old is she?"

"Nine."

"But we don't take them until they are ten."

This consideration might have been final. But the master's eyes looked into those of the little girl. They implored him with a power that shook him.

Admitted At Once.

"Still," he said, "she shows unusual promise. If she has the strength—"

The prescribed physical examination showed that despite her frailness Anna Pavlova was no weakling. She was admitted to the Institute at once.

The undoubted degree of her genius was shown by subsequent developments. She never danced as a coryphee, but at sixteen, upon her entrance to the imperial ballet, was made a ballerina. A year later, at seventeen, she was the premier ballerina.

By a strange coincidence her debut was made in "The Sleeping Beauty," which had inspired her desire for the career of a dancer. Soon her fame was world wide.

Imperial Russia and the czar are gone. Anna Pavlova never knew the name of the assistant ballet master who first recognized her talent. Her mother still lives however, as spry and energetic as possible, and mighty happy in her daughter's glory.

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A Giant of Star Giants

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS,
Noted Astronomer and Writer on Scientific Topics of Popular Interest.

"Probably the most luminous star now known" is described in a recent bulletin from the Harvard observatory. How luminous is it?

Six hundred thousand times as luminous as the sun!

But a few years ago calculations showing that the bright star Canopus might be ten thousand times as luminous as the sun were looked upon with some suspicion of exaggeration, but here is a star sixty times as bright as Canopus! And instead of being one of the most brilliant naked-eye objects in the heavens, as Canopus is, it cannot be seen at all with the naked eye, being of only the ninth magnitude.

It has a name among astronomers, but is nameless to the layman. The astronomers call it S. Doradus, which means, the star labeled "S" in the constellation Dorado, or the "Swordfish," which is an asterism of the southern hemisphere, containing the wonderful Magellanic clouds.

In fact, the star seems to be a member of the greater Magellanic Cloud, which is a marvelous assemblage of stupendous celestial objects, diminished and faded by distance into a glowing patch on the night sky, which attracted the wondering attention of the early navigators penetrating into the mysteries of the South seas.

The distance of this "cloud" is estimated to be about a hundred thousand light-years, which is the same as saying that each successive wave of light sent from its congregated multitudes of suns when it enters the eye of an observer on the earth has been a hundred thousand years in unresting flight since it left its birthplace

Put into miles a hundred thousand light-years stretches out into a long freight train of figures, like this — 586,000,000,000,000,000. Beside that the distance of the sun looks like a fast express—93,000,000.

The stars are becoming as mysterious as the atoms. This supergiant on the outskirts of the Magellanic Cloud has been brightening during the last twenty years. It has also been varying irregularly. Spectroscopic peculiarities indicate that its diameter is inferior to that of some of the other red super-giants of the cloud, which notwithstanding their immense bulk show only from one-sixteenth to one-fortieth the brightness of S. Doradus.

Still it must not be inferred that this star is in any sense less than gigantic, for Dr. Harlow Shapley remarks that "it can readily be shown that its diameter exceeds that of the earth's orbit," which means that if S. Doradus were to occupy the place of the sun the earth in its annuol circuit (supposing it could stand the heat) would have to plough all the way round through the incandescent gases constituting the radiating surface of the vast orb.

One of the apparent mysteries underlying the present theory of the star giants and star dwarfs concerns the manner in which a high temperature and a strong light radiation are maintained by huge globes of gases of excessively slight density —"like that of an attenuated gas in an electric vacuum tube." It seems a most strange birth for a sun to begin glowing after the manner of a vacuum tube through which electric currents are passing.

These giants gaseous puff-balls shine with a red light, or with "red heat," which suggests emptiness made red hot. They contract, and while doing so get hotter, at the same time showing the change of color from red through yellow to blue white that characterizes the various stages of temperature of a solid metal subjected to increasing degrees of heat.

Now that the human mind has ventured so far into the mysteries of the starry universe "no drowsy syrups of the world" will ever medicine it to that "sweet sleep" of ignorance which once it owed.

Lincoln Man Has Will Nearly 150 Years Old---Cash Called "Hard Money" In Those Times

The days when cash was "hard money" and when sufficient maintenance for a woman was in a specified amount of wood, wheat, wool, salt and other essentials of life rather than in a stated amount of bank credit are called up by a unique old will, copies of which are now in possession of Alvan Wesley Cowell, 3025 Y street, V. H. Cowell, 3219 Orchard street, and Everett Cowell, 1428 Pawnee street.

The man who originally made out this testament was Adam Wise. It is dated April 15, 1781, or 144 years ago. Adam Wise was a great-great-great-great-great grandfather of the Lincoln Cowells and he lived as a farmer on Ten-Mile creek, Washington county, Pa.

The will was uncovered about fifteen years ago by another descendent of the testator—Isaac W. Krider of Logansport, Ind. He had a flair for tracing family history and this will was a part of the result of his researches.

Although the amounts bequeathed sound strange, it is probable that they represent a sufficiency of raw material to support a person today in fair comfort, if that person was willing to work with the energy and skillfullness of the versatile pioneer. Made while the Revolutionary war still raged, the will is something of a gauge between the past and the present.

Gives Wife Maintenance.

Following are quotations from the instrument.

"I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Catherine, a sufficient maintenance out of my estate in my dwelling house along with my son, Peter, whilst she remain a widow, but if they should not agree to live together she is to live in my store room and have a separate maintenance after the following manner, viz: Fifteen bushels of wheat, 150 pounds of pork, a pack of salt, five pounds of wool and one pair of shoes yearly; half an acre of flax to be sowed, pulled and broke for her yearly; also sufficient firewood; a cow to give milk, which when dry she may exchange yearly. All these things to be continued no longer than she remains a widow. And my youngst daughter to live with her until she is of age, and she is also to have an acre of ground for a garden, to be put in such things as she pleases during the above mentioned. And further do I bequeath my wife thirty pounds hard money and an equal share with my children of the personal or movable estate, except so much of my estate as I give my son, Peter Wise.

"I give and bequeath to my son, Peter Wise, the plantation whereon I now live, to him and his heirs forever also my roan horse, old bay mare and young bay mare; also four milch cows and my white stock of hogs and eight sheep such as he may choose; my wagon and gears for two horses; my plows and tackling for one plow; also my large iron kettle and two pots, with all my beds and bedding except one bed which I give to my wife, such as she shall choose, to be hers forever, Provided, nevertheless, that my son Peter Wise, must perform in every particular as is above mentioned with regard to my wife's maintenance and pay her thirty pounds as before mentioned, pay my eldest daughters thirty pounds each, also a cow to each of them; also pay my two youngest daughters twenty pounds hard money, and a cow to each of them when they are severally of age. In like manner pay my three sons, Jacob, Daniel and Tobias, twenty-five pounds each as they become of age. The five last mentioned children Peter is to maintain, bring up and send to school until they are able to read.

Boys "Bound to Trade."

At the age of 19, the boys are to bound to a trade, such as they shall choose. In like manner, to pay my son, Andrew Wise, twenty-four pounds hard money and that he pay my son Frederick Wise twenty-two pounds hard money, and pay my son Adam twenty-five pounds hard money and young sorrel mare. Likewise that he give my sons, Jacob, Danie land Tobias Wise, each a horse creature as they come severally of age.

"I give and bequeath to my son, Abraham Wise, a thirty-pound bond due me on my son Frederick Wise, to be paid when he shall become of age; also that my son Peter pay him a creature when he become of age, who is to live with Peter until he is fit to be bound to the tailoring trade, and if before he becomes of age to have what he can make by said trade until he comes of age notwithstanding.

"Only my book debts I bequeath my son Peter, and in case my son Peter should die before he is able to discharge the duties in this case, then in such case his brothers shall agree concerning my estate"

Y. M. C. A. HOBBY SHOW NEW YEARS

Boys Of Lancaster County to Compete In Annual Exhibition.

Expect Display Of Handiwork and Pets to Be Largest Ever.

The boys' department of the Lincoln Y. M. C. A. will hold its annual pet and hobby show on New Years day. The present rate at which entries are being made indicates that this will be the largest exhibit ever displayed. All boys in Lancaster county, between the ages of 10 and 17 may enter, membership in the Y. M. C. A. not being a requirement. The exhibits will be in five divisions, including industrial art, arts, collections, live stock and book study.

There will be divisions according to age, as follows: Class D, ages 10 and 11; class C, ages 12 and 13; class B, ages 14 and 15; class A, ages 16 and 17. Three honor ribbons will be awarded to each group, or when a division has sub-divisions three ribbons to each sub-division, and for varieties of live stock. A special prize will be awarded to the boy having the best exhibit in each group. Anything worth-while that any boy can make or collect may be exhibited, and if there is no classification which fits one will be made, those in charge of the contest assert.

Division I—Industrial Art.

Group 1—Woodwork. (a) Furniture more than two feet in diameter includes chair, table, foot-stool, piano bench, cabinet, hat tree. (b) Furniture less than two feet in diameter. (a) Miscellaneous; book ends, broomholders, tie rack, toys, drawing board, picture frame, desk fittings, sleeve-board, bookrack, game board, chest, birdhouse, carving. (d) Turning; picture frames, gravels, garters, handles, etc.

Group II—Models. Canoes, boats, airplanes, kites, automobiles, locomotives, houses.

Group III—Electrical. (Radio may be constructed by father and son), motors, dynamos, wiring.

Group IV—Mechinical drawing.

Group V—Printing.

Division II—Art.

Group I—Drawing and designing. (a) Color pastel or water color, oil. (b) Black and white pen and ink, charcoal, wash, pencil. (c) Metal, leather.

Group II—Cartoons.

Group III—Sign writing, posters.

Group IV—Picture study.

Division III—Collections.

Group I—Stamps. Display in owner's album.

Group II—Coins. Mounted so that they may be shown under glass.

Group III—Natural history. (a) Animal life—Butterflies, beetles, aquaria. (b) Vegetable life—Woods, pressed flowers, etc. (c) Minerals—Minerals, fossils.

Group IV—Relics and curios. (a) Historic relics. (b) curios.

Division IV.—Livestock.

Group I—Chickens. Plymouth Rock, Minorca, Leghorn, Orpington, Wyandotte, Brahmas, Bantam, Cochins, Rhode Island Reds, etc.

Group II—Pigeons. Fantail, Homer, Pointer, Tumbler, Tipler, Turbit, etc.

Group III—Rabbits. Angoras, Belgian Hare, English, Dutch, etc.

Group IV—Guinea pigs.

Division V—Book Study.

For the five best books for boys. Exhibitor must have read same and be able to give to give an oral review to judges.

Special Group Exhibits.

Special space will be given to groups Boy Scouts, Comrades, Pioneers or Friendly Indians, wishing to make group exhibits. Prize to group making the best display.

No admission is to be charged and the exhibit opens at 11 a. m., closing at 9 p. m.

Kubetzki Opens New Bakery Here

M. C. Kubetzki has opened a new bakery at 131 South Eleventh street. It will be known as the Morning Glory bakery. Mr. Kubetzki comes to Lincoln from Seward where he has operated a bakery for four and one-half years. Six years ago he operated a bakery in University Place.

The room at 131 South Eleventh has been entirely remodeled and complete modern equipment has been installed. A specialty will be made of fancy pastries and party orders.

New Undertaking Establishment Is Started In Lincoln

A new funeral home is being opened in the old Harry Grainger residence on the northwest corner of Tenth and C streets by Jack Krobien, Harry Goldstein and Floyd E. Umberger, who have purchased the place and had it refinished.

Twenty-four hour ambulance service is a feature of the new establishment, and the machine, which is new, will be ready day and night to answer calls, M. Krobien says.

The three men have formed a corporation and Mr. Krobien is to be the funeral director. He has been in that line of work in the city for a number of years, with Splain and Schnell's and with Henry Brown, and before that drove an ambulance. During the World war Mr. Krobien served in the army, in the same capacity.

The new home is completely outfitted with new, modern equipment.

POTATO EXPERTS AT AG COLLEGE

Specialists From All Sections Of Country To Be Here Monday.

A potato disease conference, attended by about forty experts representing experimental— stations in more than twenty states, is to be held at the agricultural college Monday. The conference is preliminary to a general scientific meeting opening at Kansas City, December 29.

The conference here will be attended by plant pathologists and horticulturalists from experimental stations working with a group of potato diseases known as degenration diseases," and considered one of the worst maladies known to potatoes.

The department of plant pathology and horticulture will have on display at the college green houses potato plants grown from seed infected with these diseases. The seed was sent to the departments last summer and fall by investigators who will be at the meetings.

Informal discussions will be held Monday forenoon, and in the afternoon the diseases will be discussed by the men who supplied the diseased seed. It is hoped that a better understanding of potato degeneration or "running out" will result from the examinations and study, since the diseased seed was gathered from such widely separated sections, and new and more efficient methods of fighting them suggested.

The agricultural college will be host to the visitors at a banquet Monday night, at the home economics building. Afterwards the visitors will leave for Kansas City on a special car.

CHAMBER CALENDAR

Monday.

Henkle & Joyce Wholesale Hardware company, luncheon for twenty salesmen, main dining room.

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Pathfinder club, luncheon annex dining room.

Retail Credit Men's association, luncheon west balcony.

Thursday.

Henkle & Joyce, luncheon for salesmen, main dining room.

Friday.

All dining rooms closed.

USE MILK TO QUENCH FIRE.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 26.—(I. N.S.)—Members of the Portage, Wis., fire department are authority today that they played milk and snow on a fire which destroyed a barn on the farm of Thomas Brown, near there, Friday night, after the water supply became exhausted. Forty head of cattle were released from their stalls and taken to safety.



"IF CLEANLINESS IS *NEXT* TO GODLINESS *how much time* do you spend on *GODLINESS?*"

You have heard it many a time--"*cleanliness is next to godliness.*" You know the satisfaction, the bodily health that associates itself with cleanliness. Then why not try the greater satisfaction that associates itself with Godliness, Mental Cleanliness. Look around you at the happiest, most progressive people you know--you'll find them enjoying mental Cleanliness--Godliness



-come to church-*this* Sunday!

THIS MESSAGE PUBLISHED BY THE FRIENDS OF THE LINCOLN CHURCHES

Here in Lincoln

Roberts—Undertakng.—Adv.

Kate Stoddard, Osteopath.—Adv.

Detectives Wanted Immediately apply 401 Richards Block, City.—Adv.

Ford Used Cars sold by us are guaranteed. F. R. Hussong, 18th and O.—Adv.

Diamonds, watches and jewelry on easy payments. Harris-Goar Co. 1330 O street.—Adv.

Morning Glory Bakery 131 So. 11. All lines, fresh bake goods. Specialize party orders—pastries.—Adv.

Wanted City Loans. Plenty of money on hand. Loan closed promptly. N. Ray Hall, new location. 125 North Eleventh.—Adv.

If you want a ton of real heat, very little ashes, no smoke or soot, order "Ideal." The fuel that has no competition. Sold only by City Fuel Co., B3291.

A No. 1 Franklin Co. coal delivered for $8.00 per ton. For the benefit of working people will take orders till 10 p. m.—Call B2736—Adv.

Hold Two on Booze Charge—Two men were arrested by Deputy State Sheriff Wegnt Saturday afternoon and are being held at the city jail on charges of illegal possession of liquor. They gave the names of C. C. Harrington, 40, and F. I. Robirds, 46.

Recover Stolen Car—The 1926 Buick coach belonging to Walter F. Wilson, 2335 Bradfield Drive, was found by police at College View Saturday afternoon, where it had been abandoned. The car was not damaged. It was stolen Friday night.

Comb Catches Fire—Firemen were called to the home of George Metzler at 1217 South Sixth street at 10:30 p. m., Saturday when a celluloid comb fell down a hot air register and caught fire. The blaze was extinguished and no damage done.

Judge's Dog Is Lost—Municipal Judge E. B. Chappell has lost his dog. hTe 1-year-old collie strayed from the home of the judge the day before Christmas and has not been seen isnce. He is a adrk brown with long hair and white feet, according to Judge Chappell.

Answer Two Alarms—Alarms from 4220 Lennox avenue and Eighteenth and O street were answered by firemen late Saturday afternoon. A spark from a chimney ignited the roof at the residence of G. P. Lintt, 4220 Lennox avenue, and leaking gasoline endangered an automobile belonging to B. B. McMullen, University Place, at Eighteenth and O streets. Small damage was reported.

Says Man Threatened Her—George Wright, 30, colored, was arrested at 5:30 Saturday afternoon and booked at police headquarters for drunkenness and disorderly conduct after he is alleged to have threatened a colored woman who said her name is Mary Lee. Police were called to 503 G street where the woman declare dthat Wright had gone upstairs to get a revolver. She told police he threatened her. Wright is a roomer at that address He is being held at the police station.

About People

The Richard L. Harris post Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold a watch party and dance at the organization hall Thursday evening. Light refreshments will be served.

Earl Dunlap, of Gillette, Wyo., will represent the Lincoln chapter of Delta Theta Phi, law fraternity, at the national convention to be held in St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 28, 29, and 30. The Twin City radio station, WCCO, will broadcast the speeches of Chief Justice Carrington T. Marshall, of the Ohio supreme court and Ralph L. Adams chancellor of the fraternity, between 10 and 10:30 Monday evening.

The Pepper Shaker club will meet with Helen Burley, 1419 G street, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cameron entertained thirty couples at a dancing party Saturday evening at Hotel Lincoln honoring their daughter, Josephine E. Cameron of Gering, Neb., and their son, John M. Cameron. Decorations were suggestive of the Christmas season. Punch and wafers were served during the party and refreshment sat the close of the evening. Miss Ida May Flader and Miss Wilma Wells gave a group of readings and Miss Julia Scott faccored with a banjo solo.

Miss Betty Burnham entertained ten couples Saturday evening at her home, 1925 South Twenty-fifth street. The evening was pleasantly spent with dancing.

The First Church of Spiritual Alliance will hold services Sunday evening at 7:30 at Walsh hall, 141 South Twelfth street. Mrs. Mary Jacobs, message-bearer.

The chorus choir, directed by Mrs. George O. Sturdevant, will give a program over KFAB Sunday, December 27, at 5 p. m., as follows: "The Star of Beth'ehem" a Christmas cantata by HarKar; Hallelujah chorus from "The Messiah" by Handel.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Baker of Fairbury Neb., and Mr. and Mrs. Louie J. Jensen and little daughter, Betty Mae, of Bellville, Kas., were the Christmas guests of the parents of Mr. Baker and Mrs. Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Ira F. Baker, 3108 S street

Prof. W. L. DeBaufre will give an illustrated lecture on "Metallography" at the meeting of the Engineers club of Lincoln Monday evening. The club meets for dinner at the Grand hotel at 6:15 and at the Mechanical Engineering building at 7:45 for the program. The public is invited. Professor DeBaufre is chairman of the mechanical engineering department of the University of Nebraska.

Sunday is the first in Christmas tide and services at Holy Trinity Episcopal church will be held beginning with communoi nat 8, followed by public worship at 11, when music of the midnight celebration will be repeated. Church school at 11 and choral and evensong at 7. The church is at Twelfth and H streets and Rev. D. H. Dow is the rector.

The Feast of the Twelfth night, or Feast of Lights will be Sunday, January 3, at 7, and the annual parish meeting, Monday January 4, at 7:45.

Red and green tapers interlaid with holly made an attractive centerpiece for the table when Mr. and Mrs. A B. Butler entertained at a 1 o'clock Christmas dinner. Novelty place cards and nut cups adder to the table decorations. The guests included Rev. and Mrs. L. M. Grigsby, of Lincoln; Paul Grigsby, of Des Moines; Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Street, of Greenwood. The afternon was spent informally and gifts were distributed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Summers and family who recently moved from Lincoln to Grand Island are guests during the holidays of Mrs. Summers' daughters, Mrs. H. I. Gieseker, and Mrs. H. J. Mohr, and Mr Mohr, at University Palce. They are also visiting with Mrs. Summer's sisters, Mrs. H. A. Reed and Mrs. M. H. Pollard.

Kappa Alpha Theta alumnae will meet Saturday for 1 o'clock luncheon, with Mrs. R. G. Clapp, 2017 Washington street.

Jack Matthews and his daughter, Miss Janet Matthews, who is attending Wellsley, are spending Christmas in Washington, guests at The Mayflower.

REGISTER TWENTY MILLION CARS IN AMERICA IN 1925

Gain of 2,475,000 Or 13.9 Per Cent Over Record For 1924.

New York Still Leads; Nebraska Shows 9.2 Per Cent Gain For Year.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.More than 20,200,000 motor vehicles were registered in the United States in 1925. The gain over 1924 was 2,477,753, or 13.9 per cent. The total of passenger cars was 17,658,491, an increase of 2,132,758 over the previous year, while the commercial vehicle total was 2,545,769, an advance of 344,995.

The figures, gathered by Motor Magazine from all states, with part of December estimated, show the second largest numerical gain ever recorded although the percentage increase was the smallest. The record year in point of numbers was 1923 when registrations leaped ahead by 3,012,888.

Comparison of retail sales figures for the United States this year with the gain in registrations indicates that more than 1,000,000 ancient vehicles were scrapped or taken out of use.

There were no especially spectacular numerical gains by states. New York has the distinction of being the first to pass the 1,500,000 mark with an increase of 204,000 cars and trucks. It now has in operation nearly three-qaurters as many motor vehicles as all of Europe combined.

California Slips a Bit.

California still is New York's closest rival, but it slipped this year, showing a gain of only 9.3 per cent as compared with 20.1 last year. Its tota is 1,444,000.

The other states in the more than 1,000,000 class are Ohio with 1,400,000; Pennsylvania with 1,357,000 and Illinois with 1,266,000. Ranking next are Michigan with 993,000 and Texas with 997,000. In eighth place is Massachusetts, with 764,000. Indiana is ninth with 719,000 and Iowa tenth with 663,000. The others with half a million or more are Minnesota, Missouri, New Jersey and Wisconsin.

Florida leads the field in percentage of growth with 50.1 but its total is only 291,400 although this does not include cars operating in that state with license plates from all parts of the country.

The next highest percentage gains, in order, were: Oklahoma, 33.6; Mississippi, 30.9; Arkansas, 30.6; North Dakota, 24.3; Alabama, 23.7; Tennessee, 21.2 and Montana, 20.1.

District of Columbia had the smallest advance—only 3.1 per cent. Next smallest was South Carolina, with 4.2 and Iowa with 6.7. Others with less than ten percent growth are California, Maine, Nebraska and Wyoming.

Figures in detail for all states, compared with 1924, are given in the following table:

	Total 1925	Total 1924	Gain Over 1924	Gain Over 1923
Ala. (a)	194,580	757,262	23.7	24.2
Ariz.	68,597	57,828	18.9	17.6
Ark.	185,503	141,983	30.6	26.6
Cal.	1,443,925	1,319,394	9.3	19.9
Colo.	237,132	213,247	11.7	12.6
Conn.	247,890	215,319	15.7	20.5
Del.	39,879	35,136	13.5	17.2
D. C. (c).	94,639	91,726	3.1	*1.8
Fla.	291,400	191,711	52.1	21.3
Ga.	247,906	209,360	18.4	20.5
Ida.	81,493	69,225	17.7	10.9
Ill.	1,266,791	1,123,734	12.7	15.9
Ind.	719,380	650,219	10.6	11.4
Iowa	662,745	620,906	6.7	7.7
Kas.	486,864	410,891	11.2	9.4
Ky.	266,111	231,784	12.2	16.9
La. (b).	208,000	178,000	16.8	28.5
Me.	136,666	127,178	9.0	17.1
Md.	242,637	195,581	24.1	*6.9
Mass (b)	764,338	672315	13.6	18.7
Mich.	992,826	868,587	14.3	18.8
Minn.	569,531	502,987	13.2	9.2
Miss.	176,085	134,547	30.9	28.9
Mo.	604,300	544,635	10.9	14.3
Mont.	95,731	79,695	19.3	7.9
Neb.	336,660	308,713	9.2	7.9
Nev.	21,377	18,387	16.3	17.0
N. H.	81,409	71,929	13.0	267.
N. J.	579,448	504,190	14.9	17.0
N. M.	48,559	41,750	16.3	31.5
N. Y.	1,579,031	1,375 735	14.8	13.3
N. C.	364,177	305,756	19.1	23.5
N. Dak.	145,530	117,061	24.3	7.1
Ohio	1,460,000	1,244,000	12.5	16.5
Okla.	458,600	342,892	33.6	15.6
Ore.	215,826	192,629	12.0	15.8
Penn.	356,919	1,228 586	10.4	15.4
R. I.	104,648	90,652	15.4	6.3
S. Car.	170,673	163,382	4.2	27.1
Ten. (b)	248,081	204,680	21.2	18.1
Texas	927,572	834,940	17.2	21.0
Utah	90,313	79,233	13.9	20.0
Vt.	69,481	61,179	13.6	16.0
Va.	298,870	261,643	14.3	19.4
Was (d)	341,713	294,812	15.9	12.8
W. Va.	213,762	190,134	12.4	17.2
Wis.	592,450	525 221	12.6	14.8
Wyo.	47,650	43,639	9.2	9.6
Totals	20,204,260	17,726,507	13.9	15.8

*Loss.
(A) October 1st, 1924 to October 1st, 1925.
(B) November and December estimated.
(C) December 1st, 1924 to December 1st, 1925.
(D) License year ends November 30.
(E) All pneumatic tired vehicles classed together without segregating cars and trucks.

Illness of Singers Delays Two Operas

CHICAGO, Dec 26.—(I. N. S. — Florence MacBeth, leading American coloratura with the Chicago Civic Opera Co., was removed to a hospital in Fort Wayne, Ind., today where an operation for intestinal abscesses is to be performed in the hope of saving her life.

At the sametime, Mary Garden, who was to havesung "Thais" tonight, is ill in the Blackstone hotel with a severe cold.

As a result, "Thais" has been cancelled for tonight and "Martha," which Miss MacBeth was to have sung tomorrow night, has given way to another program.

Students Organize to Help Get U. S. in World Court



As part of the nation wide campaign to induce citizens to support United States participation in the World court of the League of Nations, college student bodies are being organized to aid in crystallizing public opinion. Delegates from 250 colleges are seen at the National College World court conference at Princeton university, Princeton, N. J.

U. S. AND HOLLAND IN LAND DISPUTE

Wrangle Involves Tiny Island of Palms In South Pacific.

Few Natives Are Only Inhabitants Of Insignificant Speck.

MANILA, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Twenty years ago Palmas island might have disappeared with its 700 inhabitants beneath the Pacific in an earthquake and the world would never have discovered the loss. It is only since 1906 that the fame of this insignificant speck of South Sea land has been spreading all over the world, For in that year Palmas island became the center of a controversy between Holland and the United States, both countries claiming sovereignty.

By the terms of an agreement recently entered into between the Netherlands and the United States, the status of the island will shortly be submitted to arbitration by a tribunal whose personnel has not yet been designated.

Prestige at Stake.

To anyone who has visited Palmas and looked over the population, it appears that a question of far more profound bearing on the international situation than who owns the island. would be why anyone should want to own it. But, admitting that it would not bring more than $100 in the south sea island real estate market, there is a fine point of national prestige which must be adjusted before Dutch-American relations can resume their normal course.

Due to centuries of intermarriage, the unclothed, half-starved people of Palmas have degenerated until they are incapable of the slightest physical exertion and owing to a complete lack of sanitation, fully 80 per cent of them are afflicted with terrible skin diseases. There are 25 lepers on the island in various stages of the disease and no attempt nas ever been made to isolate them.

But Two Miles Long.

The island is two miles long and about three-quarters of a mile wide. There is a hill about 320 feet high at the extreme northern end which comprises about one-fifth of the total area, and the remainder is a low, flat, plain rising only several feet above the level of the sea.

The Lah-uus, as they call themselves, would probably feel flattered with so much attention if they knew what it was all about. They have a cloudy idea that it has something to do with the white pole which stands on the beach in front of the headman's hut, and what kind of a piece of cloth should be attached to the top. The older and wiser heads have probably observed that when the white man comes down from the Philippines in the north, he runs an American flag to the top of this pole; but when the white man comes up from Ceelebes in the south he removes the American flag and substitutes the banner of Holland. But it would require more than these simple ceremonies to disturb the lazy drift of a life that has not changed perceptibly in a thousand years.

Only One Town.

The population of Palmas is divided roughly among 150 males, 300 females and 250 children of both sexes. They all live in one settlement of seventy-three shacks built of nipa and closely huddled together near the southern end of the island. The town has three streets or lanes between the houses. The majority of the people are of an amazingly low order of intelligence and so thoroughly submissive and timid that they fear almost to move from one spot to another without the permission of the headman.

Their only contact with the outside would is once yearly when the Dutch resident governor at Menado, Celebes sends a gunboat to the island for the purpose of collecting a head-tax of about $2.50 each from the men between 18 and 60 years old. Occasionally, perhaps once or twice yearly a tramp trader happens along and picks up any surplus copra that the natives have for sale.

Chinaman Owns Only Store.

There is one small store on the island and that is operated, as all small stores in the orient are operated, by Chinese. All articles are priced in cocoanuts and there is no other currency in circulation.

Crimes of violence are virtually unknown. There are no firearms or fighting weapons of any kind on the island and the only crime on the headman's record in recent years is that of stealing cocoanuts.

When Governor General Wood was governor of Moro province in 1906, he made a tour of inspection through the waters south of Mindanoa and accidentlly discovered the flag of the Netherlands waving from the flag-pole on Palmas island. He made inquiry and was informed that the flag was there by order of the Dutch resident governor in Menado, Celebes.

Covered by Treaty.

Governor Wood reported the case to the secretary of war in Washington emphasizing the fact that the island was plainly within the region designated by the Treaty of Paris and ceded to America by Spain. This report was submitted to the Dutch foreign minister by the American minister to the Hague on March 31, 1906.

On October 17 of the same year, the Dutch charge de'affaires in Washington sent a letter to the secretary of state inclosing a communication from the Dutch minister of colonies, briefly outlining the Dutch claim. Quoting in part from this document, the facts in support of Dutch sovereignty were set forth about as follows:

Dutch Set Forth Claim.

"The island of Palmas has been tributary to native princes under the suzerainty of the Netherland since the formation of the East Indies company. The inhabitants have paid taxes to the Netherlands since early in the nineteenth century."

The next few paragraphs cite various acts of sovereignty by the Dutch government in proof of possession. It is pointed out, for example, that the island is visited once each year by Dutch authorities.

"From these facts," concludes the exposition, "it would appear that the island is a Netherlands' possession; and Spain never questioned the right of the Netherlands to raise the Dutch flag there. Moreover, allowing that it falls within the sphere described by the Treaty of Paris, it is but natural that Spain could not dispose of an island which never formed a part of her territory."

Evidence Entirely Different.

The American claim rests on evidence of a totally different character and will doubtless give the arbitrators when they meet, a delicate bit of international law to adjudicate. A search of the Spanish historical archives in Madrid showed that Spain's claim rested on the simple fact of dicovery in the days of the early explorers.

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Deaths

Robert Booth, 83, died at 12:45 p. m., Saturday at the home, 2313 E street. He had lived in Lincoln for forty-eight years. He leaves his wife, Emma, two daughters, Mrs. Guy Warner, San Diego, Cal., and Mrs. Aron Hotchkiss, Lincoln; a step-daughter, Mrs. Fred Weibness, San Diego; three sons, Patrick, Milwaukee, Harry and Charles, Lincoln; a sister, Mrs. Peter Beets, Lincoln; and two brothers, Jerry, Nebraska City, and Benjamin, who lives in Pennsylvania. The body is at Spahn and Schnell's chapel pending arrangements.

Mrs. J. S. Martin, 1128 South Twenty-fifth street, and Harry J. Becker, 2026 Sewell street, received word of the sudden death Sunday, December 20, of their father, J. H. Becker, 82, at Kansas City. Mr. Becker had been a resident of Lincoln for some time and left for Kansas City December 19, death occurring the following day. The body was taken to Greenville, Pa., for burial.

Funeral services for Raymond E. Mattison will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the Westminster Presbyterian church, Twenty-third and Garfield streets. The body will be taken at 4:40 p. m. to Saline, Mich., for burial.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ann Mocroft will be held at 2 p. m. Monday at the Methodist church of Waverly. Burial in the Waverly cemetery.

The body of Mrs. Josephine Ovington was taken Saturday afternoon to Council Bluffs for burial.

The body of John L. Pollett is at Alba Brown's funeral home pending arrangements.

Andrew Martin Anderson, 70, died at 3:30 p. m. Saturday at the home, 1240 North Twenty-third street. He leaves his wife, a son, M. H. of Lincoln, and five daughters, Charlotte d Verne at home, Mrs. J. E Shaw of Wesington, S. D., Mrs. O. M. Sandusky of Seward, Neb., and Mrs. D. P. Clifford of Cheyenne, Wyo. He had been a resident of Lincoln for twenty years. Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a. m. Monday at the Sacred Heart church, Twenty-second and M streets. Burial will be in Calvary.

B. J. Morey, Undertaker.—Adv.

Kroblen. Goldstein, Umberger, Funeral Home, B2424, 10th and C St.—Adv.

Marriage Licenses

THE FOLLOWING LICENSES TO wed were issued in County court Saturday, December 26, 1925:

Name and Address.	Age.
John C. Nelson, Lincoln	35
Mildred S. Thomas Lincoln	21
Ralph H. Waters, Columbus	28
Cora L. Bell, Columbus	21

ADMIRAL GOODRICH DEAD.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Rear Admiral Casper F. Goodrich, U. S. N. retired, died here today, aged 79, from heart disease. He was a graduate of the navy academy and former commander of the Pacific fleet.

AUSTRALIAN BOY MAKES GOOD IN THIRD RUNAWAY

Determined to Find Adventure, Eludes Police As Well As Parents.

Visit of American Fleet, Hollywood Films, Intensified Wanderlust.

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 26—(U. P.)—Had Bernard Augustine McCartin been born a couple of centuries ago he probably would have been a bold bucaneer cruising off the Bahamas, or a sturdy pioneer of the American back-woods. Being merely a 13-year-old boy of the year 1925, he has to content himself with being the hero of escapades that get him headlined in the papers and trounced by the slipper of an outraged parent.

Bernard has the wanderlust. He has had it for years, and once used to satisfy it by playing the truant from school and making his way to the docks to yarn with salts of foreign lands. With the weight of years the urge to wander grew, and the visit of the American fleet to Melbourne in July crowned it. Every day of its stay, Bernard boarded a different unit of the fleet and when it left, the boy watched it disappear down the bay, having failed to stow himself away on one of the ships.

Rides "Rods."

Home palled on Bernard to such an extent that he made a break a couple of weeks ago. Fired with the determination to board a vessel for America, he decided to come to Sydney by train. He did not accomplish it by the orthodox method of entering through a carriage door, but by swinging himself onto the bars underneath a carriage. In that uncomfortable, back-aching position, he rode the 576 miles to Sydney, but his enterprise was ill-rewarded. His disapeparance aroused his parents' alarm. They communicated with the Sydney police and a brawney member of the force welcomed Bernard at this city and packed him off under a kindly escort to his home town.

The following week Bernard was off again. This time Adeline was his objective and he reached it by the same method as before—riding the bars of a carriage. He had actually enrolled himself as a cabin boy abroad a steamer; about to sail when he was discovered and placed on a costal steamer for return to Melbourne. His parents, warned of his enforced homecoming, were down at the wharf at the scheduled time of this steamer's arrival, but found that she had made a good trip and had berthed an hour before her time. In that hour of grace, Bernard had made his escape and in the two weeeks since then, he has failed to return to the parental roof.

Has Stamina.

Bernard is rather diminutive for his age and frail, but that he had hidden reserves of stamina had been proved by his two arduous journeys on the carriage bars. His only desire is to see the world. He is not wayward, but lives to an atmosphere of romance and love of adventure that only hard experience of the world and its ways will knock out of him. These have probably been incited by the movies and romantic literature, for a reporter, visiting his home, found in Bernard's room photographs of Hollywood heroes and well-thumbed copies of such classics of boyhood as "Robinson Cruso," "The Swiss Family Robinson," and "Around the World in Eighty Days."

Now, while thoughtless Bernard is probably experiencing the buffets of life abroad a wallowing tramp on the high seas, a red-eyed little mother waits for his return and watches from the windows of her home in a Melbourne suburb the tall ships gliding down the bay to the open sea.

Sweet Sixteen a Lady—Richard Bartholmess is completing his work on "Just Suppose" which he is making for Inspiration. Lois Moran is his leading woman. Miss Moran is only 16 and is one of the screen's youngest leading ladies. Dick has the role of a princely young spender of a mthical kingdom.

BETTER LUMBER HOLLAND

CLEMENCEAU HAS OWN GRAVE DUG

Tombstone To Mark Last Resting Place Is Also Designed.

Will Be Buried In Plot Which Once Belonged to His Father.

CHANTONNAY, Vendee, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—"When I go down this road, feet foremost, in my rough wooden box, I'll not be carried gently and the horses will have all they can do to keep the hearse on the road."

It was thus that the venerable "Tiger," M. Gorgas Clemenceau gently reproached the mayor of the commune of Mouchamps for the dispair into which had tumbled the narrow and torturous road which leads from the tiny village of La Moncelliere to Colombier farm, farm, where, some day, the great statesman will join his elders. At 84, one thinks of such things.

But it was to a taxpayer that Clemenceau voiced his protest for every year he allots 250 francs to the commune to be used for the upkeep of this road which, in spite of the work allowed by this sum remains the rockies,t the muddiest, the most rutted and the hardest road to climb in all Navarre and France.

Interest in this road is explained by the fact that this road passes close by a little clump of pine trees, cedars and locusts, shaded and mysterious, which rises steeply above a little river more mysterious is its turn, its waters as dark as the Styx, brightened only oy a few water-lilies which spread their pedals on the floating pads.

Grave Is Re-dug.

It is here, in the certer of this forgotten woods, lost in a corner of us beloved Vendee that the "Tiger" wants to be buried. It is here that he had dug, secretly years ago, the grave distined for himself, which he than had refilled with loose ground. The grave is re-dug from time to time to allow the cutting of the roots which invade it.

"Like that, you'll have less trouble the day of my burial," Clemenceau explained recently to the grave digger as he watched him at work.

One would wonder why Clemenceau chose this picturesque but out of the way spot, and it would be easy to attribute its choice to his well known originality if it were not for the fact that this little woods has a history.

It formed part, in other days, of Colombier farm which belonged to the father of the "Tiger," a doctor who returned every summer to pass a holiday of several weeks at the rustic chateau around which the farm lies. On his death, he expressed a desire to be buried in the little woods.

"That way I'll be certain that my children will never sell that strip of land which I love so well," he remarked to his neighbors.

These neighbors repeat a local legend that Doctor Clemenceau was buried in a standing position in accordance with his dying wishes. Legend also recalls that his wife, whose body lies in a family tomb near Chantennay, was buried sitting in her favorite chair.

No Interference With Nature.

Regardless of the truth of these legends, the fact remains that Doctor Clemenceau rests under a tireless cedar. His tomb is surrounded by a rusted fence through which creeping vines but it was another of his wishes that no effort be made to interfere with nature's effort to hide his grave.

Next to the tomb of his father, the "Tiger" has ordered his dug. Every summer when he comes to his beloved fisherman's cottage at Saint Vincentsur-Jard he brings his friends to the cedar and he never fails to joke with them about the roughness of the little road along which they will pass behind his coffin.

Do you know a place where I could be more quiet?" he asks of all.

But this year the quiet has been broken and the little woods holds a new treasure. The "Tiger" had an idea. He has had erected his own monument. Fearing that his friends would mark his grave with too great a marble or would enclose it with the fence, as is French custom, he drew plans for his own memorial.

"Above all, don't cage me in. I do not want to be caged. I want to be free," he said.

So before the grave of his father and the place where he will lie, Clemenceau had erected a simple but beautiful monument. It was executed from a drawing Clemenceau made himself during a voyage in Egypt. It is of Lorraine granite, a great slab upon which is sculptored a figure of Minerva, leaning in a thoughtful attitude, on a spear.

Clemenceau is proud of his monument and just before returning to Paris paid it a last visit.

Efficiency Takes Place Politeness On Moscow Phones

MOSCOW, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Politeness is yielding to efficiency in the Moscow telephone service under the pressure of increasing business congestion.

Under the present system the telephone operator repeats the number after it is called and adds "Rang up" after the number has been called. The caller is then supposed to reply "Thank you." Now it is proposed to substitute "Ready" for "Rang up,"—an economy of one syllable in the Russian language.

The repetition of the number and the polite "thank you" are also to be eliminated. All these changes, it is calculated, will permit the making of 20 per cent more connections every hour.

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ANTI-THIEF SOCIETY.

(Special to The Star)

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 26.—Farmers residing in the Filley vicinity have formed an association for protection against chicken thieves or those guilty of other thefts from any of the association members. Rewards for the apprehension of persons guilty of such work will be paid by association members.

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Pacific Coast Gridsters Win From Ingram Team

COAST ELEVEN CONQUERS EAST

Brick Muller Clutches Imlay Pass and Dives Over Goal Line for the Only Touchdown of Benefit Game.

BY HAROLD O. THOMPSON.

EWING FIELD, SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Gridiron stalwarts of the west repulsed a formidable eastern invasion here this afternoon. A team of players from the Pacific coast universities won over a collection of stars from the east, a lone touchdown being the margin of superiority shown by the final score of 6 to 0.

The game was a charity contest for the local Shriners children's hospital.

It was "Brick" Muller, all-American end of the University of California's "wonder team" which made football history a few years ago, who made the touchdown possible. Muller lunged in the air in the third quarter and snatched a long pass from Tut Imlay, this, this year's California captain and slid over the goal line for the score., The play gained 34 yards.

CROWDED TO CAPACITY.

Ewing field was crowded to its capacity of some 28,000 spectators for the game, played under weather conditions that were reminiscent more of a New England November day than of California at any season. A raw wind gave the air a tang that even fur coats and warm automobile robes could not keep out.

Players on the two teams were drawn from 23 American colleges and universities, many of the men having gained all-American honors while on their varsity elevens.

Lack of sufficient practice made the game ragged most of the way. Crossed signals and the westerners' practice of going into a huddle to call the man chosen to carry the ball made the plays drag. But the brilliance of individual work made up for the delay.

EAST HOLDS STAUNCHLY.

The first quarter saw the east pushed deep into its own territory and—holding staunchly despite savage western lunges at its line.

Muller showed his forward passing ability for the first time in the second quarter, getting off a 30-yard completed toss that brought the fans out of their seats.

Fry, Iowa, back, had a bad time in the first two periods, fumbling no less than three times on important plays.

"Babe" Horrell, last year's captain of the Golden Bears, recovered two of them in addition to playing a flashy game at center.

The longest individual run of the game came in the second period when Larry Marks of Indiana dashed 50 yards around Muller's end. Brick was nearly boxed off in play.

WYCKOFF STAR FOR EAST.

Wyckoff, giant Georgia Tech. fullback, who looks like a ten-second man despite his size, played consistently, doing most of the punting and passing for the east. He uncovered some nice bits of running, one dash netting 15 yards around left end.

In the third quarter Muller passed nearly half the length of the field to Imlay. The Imlay to Muller pass of 34 yards, that resulted in the one touchdown, followed soon afterwards. Patrick's attempt to convert the extra point failed.

"Navy Bill" Ingram, who rounded up and coached the easterners, did not get into the game until the last period. Practically all members of both squads participated, substitutions being made in bunches in the closing minutes of play.

STARS EASY TO PICK.

Stars of the game were not hard to select. For the east, Wyckoff and Marks stood out in the backfield. In the line, Dilweg played in splendid form at end. Chase of Pittsburgh broke up most of the plays aimed at

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Skelly Oil Co. Basket Tossers.



Standing—E. Turner, Allen, McBride
Sitting—Dakan, G. Turner, McPherson, Curtin, Weyand.

The Oilers are entered in the Y. M. C. A. Industrial league pennant race and have a well balanced aggregation that will rank high in local amateur circles this year. The Skelly team is in the market for games and will play any amateur team in the state. Managers wishing to book the Oilers should communicate with G. E. Turner, care Skelly Oil Co., Lincoln.

MUSHY HORNS IN AHEAD OF "ACE"

Callahan Picks Off Whirl At Rocky Kansas, Champ Of the Lightweights.

Hudkins Calculated He Had Bout Cinched: Evidently Guessed Wrong.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Dec. 28.—(I. N. S.)—Mushy Callahan, Los Angeles newsboy boxer, said today he had accepted terms for a bout with Rocky Kansas, lightweight champion, to be staged in New York.

Los Angeles promoters said Kansas was expected to visit Los Angeles early next year and declared his probable opponent would be Ace Hudkins, Nebraska lightweight.

Some doubt was expressed concerning the proposed Kansas-Hudkins bout, owing to the fact that Kansas was regarded as extremely likely to lose his title should he box Callahan before meeting Hudkins.

Callahan has been boxing as a junior welter and in his bouts with Hudkins outweighed the Nebraskan several pounds. His manager, however, claims he would experience no difficulty scaling down to the lightweight limit for a bout with Kansas.

Paluso and Silver.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 26.—Lou Paluso, Salt Lake City, will meet Jack Silver, San Francisco, in a ten-round decision fight in San Francisco Jan. 8, it was announced here tonight. The match is to decide the Pacific coast lightweight championship.

Paluso won a decision from Tommy O'Brien here Wednesday night. He drew with Ace Hudkins, Nebraska lightweight, in a ten-round battle here recently.

Hanover Defeats Diller Cage Five

HANOVER, Kas., Dec. 26.—Hanover wo nbooth ends of a double-header basketball program staged Wednesday with Diller, Neb. The Hanover boys won 38 to 18 and the girls won by a 21 to 12 score.

Dewitt Alumni Wins.

DEWITT, Neb., Dec. 26.—The Dewitt alumni defeated the high school team here Wednesday, 31 to 21.

Not Guilty!

BY ED. WRAY.

(In St. Louis Post-Dispatch.)

A judge yesterday told a jury that "no man should be convicted on his looks."

This applies outside of court. Take the case of Big Munn. One look at this magnificent, nay colossal edifice, would convict him of being either a champion fighter or wrestler.

But, thus far, he is absolutely innocent of the charge.

PRO SPORT HURT BY RED GRANGE

Guy Chamberlain, ex-Husker Star, Declares Himself On Live Topic.

Unless Halt Comes Quickly, Pro Game May Be Killed Dead As Stone.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Guy Chamberlain, coach of the Frankford Yellow Jackets, a pro football team in Pennsylvania and former All-American end at Nebraska, believes that the exploitation of Red Grange has set the cause of professional football back at least five years, so writes Lawrence Perry for the Consolidated Press Association

"The day that the famous Illinois star stepped on the professional field is one that will be regretted a long time by followers of the commercial game," he said.

"Grange broke down mentally and physically, because more was asked of him than any human being could perform. The pro players on other teams were affected by the Grange splurge and the public is disillusioned.

"Nonethe ess, there is much to be said in justification of pro football. It should have a legitimate place in the sun. It does a lot of good in certain sections of the country.

A Community Team.

"Take the case at Frankford. It is a spirited community. The citizens love football. They have enough local pride to have their own team. They have their pennants and their gridiron idols.

"The University of Pennsylvania is a remote place to the majority

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NEW YORK STICKS TO FIGHT JUDGES

Commish Clings to Umpires Of Integrity, Even Though They Make Mistakes.

Glaring Decision Against Tiger Flowers Rendered By Millionaire.

BY HENRY L. FARRELL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(U. P.) "Gentlemen judges"—officials who are regarded as above reproach—will be retained on the working list of the New York boxing commission, it was learned today.

Demonstrations approaching a riot were staged in Tex Rickard's garden here last week when two gentlemen judges voted against the referee that Mike McTigue, former light-heavyweight champion of the world, had outpointed Tiger Flowers, Atlanta, Ga., negro, in a ten-round bout.

ONE JUDGE MILLIONAIRE.

The judges were Bernard Gimbel, one of the owners of the largest department stores in New York, and Peter Brady, banker and one of the most prominent labor leaders in the east.

The decision was so obviously mistaken that disorder certainly would have resu ted if the spectators had not been impressed with the names of the judges.

If Kid Pazzaza and Mickey Finn had been in the chairs of the judges and had voted that McTigue had won, the walls of the new $5,000,000

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Harlow Quits at Colgate to Take Maryland Place

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Dick Harlow, football coach at Colgate the past four years, has definitely signed to coach at Western Maryland college next year, according to an announcement made today by Col. Robert J. Gill, president of the Western Maryland Alumni association.

Colonel Gill refused to reveal the amount of salary to be paid Harlow, but it is thought to be around $9,000. Harlow will assume his duties at Western Maryland for spring training on April 1. He will also be boxing instructor.

LARGE FIELD IN "Y" CAGE CIRCLES

Basketeers Plan Busy Card For Winter Season On The Court.

Entry Books On All Leagues Will Close Monday—Interest Keen.

The Y. M. C. A. machinery necessary to the staging of a basketball season on the association court is being oiled preparatory to the start of the cage grind which this season will include a record entry list of teams.

The entry books in all leagues will close Monday, the time for enrolling in the Industrial and Association circuits being extended in order to permit the entry of the quintet in each league to bring a well-balanced loop.

Play in the cage loops will start Jan. 5, following a big get-away dinner at which players and managers will be banqueted. Interest is keen in all leagues, according to John W. Fuhrer, physical director, and the "Y" promises to be a hotbed of basketball interest throughout the winter months.

The association basketball committee will be in charge of the Association and Industrial leagues. Teams and managers in the two loops follow:

Associated League.

The Barristers—W. S. Ogden.
Lawlor Sports—C. E. Struthers.
"Y" Dormitory—Clifford Cunningham.
Demolay—George Brinton.
Magee Clothiers—Mason McKibbin.
Co. I National Guard—Ed. F. Hoke.
Lincoln Sports—Ralph Buckley.

Industrial League.

Central Cafe—Ed Storkan.
Continental Oil Co.—W. H. Williams.
Skelly Oil Co.—L. B. McPherson.
Lincoln Telephones — Alfred O'Dell.
Evans Laundry—Ray R. Davis.

A barrage of Sunday School league entries is expected Monday, the closing day. Quintets already enrolled follow:

Class A.

Westminster Presbyterian (U. P.)—J. A. Little.

Class B.

St. Paul M. E.—Andrew Larson.
Lutheran Evangelical — Peter C. Dreith.

Class C.

St. Paul M. E.—Andrew Larson.

Class D.

Congregation Tifereth Israel—H. V. Evnen.
First Plymouth Congregational — A. A. Dobson.
Grace M. E.—Mason Yerkes.

The League Committees.

The committee in charge of the play in the Industrial and Association leagues includes Chairman George Brinton, Secretary-Treasurer John W. Fuhrer,, R. L. Duffield, Frank M. Moore, L. B. McPherson.

The committee in charge of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday School loops includes J. C. Brehm, W. H. Browne, Milford Ore, Frank Berkman, John W. Fuhrer.

DIXIE GRIDDERS READY FOR FRAY

Alabama Team Keen to Have It Out With Huskies New Year's Day.

Coach of Southern Eleven Taboos Scrimmaging; Men In Condition.

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Alabama's Southern conference football champions went through their third workout at the Tournament of Roses stadium today, throwing their full strength into practice on a western field for the first time.

Coach Wallace Wade declared confidently tonight that he expects to have his men in the best of condition for the New Year's day battle with Washington. Pacific coast champions. The Dixie mentor has not complained about the handicap of the long trip to the coast and he asserts his men will not be hampered by the milder California climate.

WILL PLAY MINUS SOCKS.

The visiting southerners work without socks, which, Wade says, are never worn in Dixie except in cold weather. The California climate is warmer than his own in Alabama, and his players will probably be without stockings when they tangle with the giants of Washington.

Wade has not planned any scrimmage for his men while preparing for the encounter with the Huskies. The Dixie champions came thruogh the long Southern conference season in good shape physically and the coach does not want them overtrained for the post-season battle.

PLAN TOUR OF MOVIES.

The southerners will not work out Sunday, but will make a tour of southern California's beaches. Another practice is scheduled for Monday morning, to be followed by a visit to the movie plants in Hollywood.

There will be light daily practices until Friday, when the business of the day with Washington is the only work on the program.

The Washington eleven is due here Tuesday. They will take at least two workouts in the Rose bowl before Friday, but, according to advices here, the Huskies virtually have completed their heavy training.

There are nine major league twirlers still using the spitball; three in the National and six in the American. All of them are classed as veteran pitchers who have been using the spitball for 10 years or more.

DIXIE MAIDEN WEDS FIGHTER

Cultured Girl Gives Up Home of Luxury and Refinement to Cast Her Lot With "Young" Stribling.

MACON, Ga., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Like a leaf from a story book or a reel from a Hollywood studio, reads the romance of W. L. ("Young") Stribling, who makes his living as a fighting man in the squared arena, and Miss Clara Virginia Kinney, Macon society girl, daughter of a wealthy and distinguished old southern family.

Their romance was climaxed at noon today with a quiet wedding at the home of Miss Kinney. Stribling was 21 years old today.

GETS COIN AS YOUTH.

Stribling, son of a team of vaudeville performers, battled his way into the limelight of the pugilistic profession while still a school boy in his 'teens. While his fellows in high school were playing football or baseball for sport, Stribling was attending classes in the day time and bowling over seasoned professional heavyweight boxers at night, accumulating meanwhile, a business-like assortment of the coin of the realm.

LEAVES LUXURIOUS HOME.

Miss Kinney, an attractive brunette of 19, met Stribling in a class room at Lanier high school, just as he began to emerge from obscurity and win recognition as a boxer of standing. She is the granddaughter of Judge DuPond Guerry, one-time president of Wesleyan college and nominee for governor of Georgia. Her father is a wealthy cotton broker, who owns one of the finest private libraries in the country. She will leave a luxurious home to share the fortunes of her fighting husband—and she is proud of his ability to fight.

STICKS TO FIGHT GAME.

"Strib won't give up his fighting now that we are married," she said. "I wouldn't think of his doing that. He will never give it up, until he becomes the heavyweight champion of the world. And he will he that some day. I hope to help and encourage Strib in his profession. I distinctly approve of scientific boxing—it is a good, clean, manly sport and there is much more to it than most people think."

To ENTER UNIVERSITY.

Stribling has announced that he intends to enter Georgia university to complete his education. Plans for the wedding were kept secret. Only members of the families of the fighter and the bride attended.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. E. Davenport of Reynolds, Ga. Stribling and his bride left immediately by motor for Atlanta, where they will take a train this afternoon for New York to spend a brief honeymoon.

Keen Interest Being Shown In Handicap Meet

The annual handicap bowling tournament which will be launched at the Saratoga alleys, Thursday, December 31, promises to draw one of the largest field of entries in local tournament history.

Twenty-five teams are expected to roll in the event, while competition in the singles and doubles promises to attract a large field of mople-maulers.

The entry books will close Wednesday, December 30.

TYRUS STEPS ON TO NEW RECORDS

Georgia Peach Has Achieved More Than Any Other Man in Baseball.

Father Time Has Fat Chance To Keep Him On the Bench This Coming Year.

Father Time is still playing second fiddle to Tyrus Raymond Cobb. The scythe bearer may never have lost a race, but he still has some distance to go to catch up with the Georgia Peach, who this yedr set a new record by having played longer in the American league than any other player dead or alive.

Having been mixed up in American league races for 23 years, which, incidentally,has been with one team, it might be surmised that Tyrus would turn over the record breaking to someone else. Not so, considering that he was "party" to fifteen record breaking performances during the past season. Six of these were new. The others were tied or added to the records he already held.

TY'S NEW RECORDS.

Here are his new records:
Total number games played in the American league, 2,725.
Number of years in the American league, 21.
Lifetime record in extra base hits, 1,036.
American league extra base-hits in one game, 16.
Total extra bases on hits, 1,533.
Total bases two consecutive games, 25.

Another new record might be added, in that he still holds the lifetime average in batting for 19 or more years at .371 with .369 for twenty years.

5 HOMERS IN 2 DAYS.

It was not only in the piling up of totals that he dazzled during the last season. He turned out a few original feats. On May 5 against the St. Louis Browns he tied the world's record for extra basehits in one game with four. He also tied Adrian C. Anson's record in making five home runs in two consecutive games. In addition to these, he also tied the American league record for hits in one game, six, in as many consecutive times at bat. This came in the game with the Browns May 5, the real field day of his long career.

RECORD FOR RUNS SCORED.

When it came to stacking up the points, he added considerably to the world's record for runs scored, held by himself, by making the count 2,038. He also added to the safe hit mark, making this 3,823. He increased the world's record for one-base hits to 2,787 and for three-base hits to 281. Having set a new mark in extra bases, he also increased the world's lifetime record in total bases to 5,357.

In games played Honus Wagner, the former Pittsburgh star, surpassed Ty, but should the pilot of the Detroit Tigers make good on his promise that he will be in 100 games during the coming season he will have put this mark in the shade. All he has to do in order to pass the "Dutchman" is to play in 61 games. He should be good for that, despite the fact that he will be going on his fortieth year.

Cobb was born in Banks county, Georgia, Dec. 17, 1886. He hopes to round out a quarter of a century in the game. He hasn't so far to go, considering that he started in 1904.

Zupp to Preside at Coaches' Meeting

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—The fourth annual meeting and banquet of the American coaches' association will be held here Monday at the Hotel Pennsylvania.

Robert Zuppke, president of the association, will preside at the meeting, at which a general discussion of new ideas and an attempt to clarify the rules will be made.

KEARNS HINTS AT PACT WITH JACK

Discharged Fight Manager Suggests He and Champion May Get Together.

Assured By Attorneys He Will Get Full Share Of Dempsey Earnings.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Jack Kearns may return as manager of Jack Dempsey, the world champion, Kearns intimated to newspaper men here today.

Kearns, at least, has declared a truce in the war of words concerning his repudiation by Dempsey. Kearns spoke kindly of the champion, although insisting his contract has lost none of the ironbound properties he claims for it.

SURE OF HIS SHARE.

"I'm getting my share of every cent Jack is making out of the fighting game and I'm going to get it until August 13, 1926., anyhow," Kearns said. "After that date,—well, I have hopes."

"But even if my contract is not renewed, if Jack ever fought Harry Wills, or Gene Tunney, whether next year or ten years from now, I'm in on the gate."

Kearns explained that his claim to Dempsey's earnings in a fight with Tunney or Wills is based on a deal he engineered, with Dempsey's consent to have the champion engage one of the two contenders for Tex Rickard.

HIS LAWYERS SAY SO.

"My lawyers have told me I would get my contractual percentage out of anv fight Dempsey has with Tunney or Wills anytime and anywhere, whoever it is for," Kearns said.

The only harsh note he uttered was concerning Chicago's weather. He hugged his hotel suite closely, until he got ready to leave for California for the fight between Mickey Walker and Tommy Milligan, January 23.

Dog Teams Race To Mountain Top

BANFF, Alberta, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—To the top of the world and back again.

That is the goal and ordeal in the unique world's championship dog team race to be run for the first time at the Banff winter carnival this year.

The course is from Calgary to the Great Divide and back to Banff—173 miles long and reaching an altitude of 5,300 feet. It will be the longest dog race ever run, exceeding the last derby by twenty-three miles.

The Strongheart trophy and $1,000 cash will go to the winner.

East vs. West Observations.

"Tut" Imlay, because of his superior condition, carried a great deal of the burden of the western offensive. The only score of the game came in the third period when "Brick" Muller struggled over the line after receiving a 25-yard forward pass from Imlay ,his old California teammate.

One of the interesting features of the game was the fact that Bailey, Olympic club star, a man forty years of age and an old star at Texas A. & M., played throughout the entire contest at guard while younger men had to be replaced. His work and that of "Babe" Horrell, former California star center, were responsible mainly for piercing the star eastern line.

Uteritz, Martineau, Fry and Dilweg all scintillated at times for the east, but the east seemed to lack the cohesiveness of the all-western eleven and was saved several times by the great punting of Wyckoff.

"Navy Bill" Ingram, who coached the eastern eleven, entered the fray late in the contest but was unable to stem the western tide.

But one penalty was inflicted during the entire contest, and that was for off-side. Spectators declared it was the cleanest-played game witnessed in years.

It was beautiful to behold the splendid co-operation of the western players. At one time during the game there were six former University of California players on the west team. They were "Brick" Muller, the wonderful end; "Babe" Horrell, all-American center; Charlie Erb, quarterback of Andy Smith's wonder teams of three years ago; Archie Nisbet, California's great fullback, and "Tut" Imlay, sensational Blue and Gold safety man.

"Scoop" Carlson, California's quarterback of later seasons than Erb, called signals for the west for the greater part of the contest. Toward the end, however, Charlie Erb went in and performed like he did in the years gone by when he was an all-coast quarter.

Jones, Florida halfback, was one of the speediest men on the field for the east. Dilweg of Marquette played a beautiful game at end for the invaders and had "Brick" Muller not been on the field, Dilweg's work would have been among the outstanding features of the contest.

Garbisch of the Army, all-American center, played a remarkable game. He was not given as good support as "Babe" Horrell, another all-American center who was playing for the west, and as a result numerous western gains were made right over Garbisch's position. The great West Pointer's dropkicking ability was not apparent in today's game. Not once did he attempt to cross the goal posts with one of his famous kicks.

For the west, Horrell and Bailey did yeomen's service that was beautiful to witness. Bailey, a veteran of the gridiron, a man now past 40, played sensationally at guard beside Horrell, Horrell and Bailey opened hole after hole in the eastern line and through these openings crashed Imlay, diminutive west halfback, for gain after gain.

"Navy Bill" Ingram, coach of the easterners, also head coach at the University of Indiana, entered the fray at quarter for his team in the last period and played in a manner that was an inspiration to his teammates. The bare-headed Ingram roared out his signals and then was on his way into the western line.

Farwick ,also of West Point, was a tower of strength at left guard, but he was not the equal of "Buck" Bailey, the west's great rock of Gibraltar.

Hutchison of Nebraska replaced Garbisch for a time in two periods and performed very creditably.

Wyckoff, Georgia Tech's great fullback, kicked in a manner that was almost sensational. For a time he was on top of all things connected with the punting department of the game ,but later, he was not supported by his line as well as at first, and his kicks were rushed, making him get them off in too great a hurry.

Marks, Indiana halfback, staged one of the greatest plays of the afternoon when he dashed down the field for a fifty-yard gain. Owing to the fact that the field was wet and slippery, Marks stumbled when tackled on the west's 12-yard line and the invaders' chance to score went for naught.

The game was played on one of the slipperiest fields ever seen locally, but nevertheless the playing of both teams was marvelous. There was no roughness of any sort and the spectators appreciated the sportsmanship on both sides.

"Brick" Muller, one-time California star, was the outstanding hero of the afternoon. This remarkable player showed he had lost none of his greatness and as long as he was on the field the west was safe. Muller was here, there and everywhere in the play and climaxed everything by putting over the only score of the day when he picked a 25-yard pass out of the air and ran, half-rolled over the eastern goal line. The throw was hurled by Imlay, the California safety man.

Altogether it was a wonderfully played game and while the easterners lost, they lost to worthy and gallant foes.

Team Spirit Big Asset In Baseball

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—The new manager of the Chicago National league team, Joe McCarthy, former pilot of the Louisville American association club, will take charge Monday.

McCarthy is not discouraged by the failure of William Wrigley, millionaire club owner to purchase stellar players from other clubs, which refused to sell.

"Seventy per cent of a team's assets in a pennant struggle is a winning disposition," McCarthy said, indicating his big play would be to get the Cubs into a victorious state of mind.

Football Star, After "Dough," Eats Pie.



ERNIE NEVERS AT HOME

Ernie Nevers, giant fullback on the Stanford football team, now in Florida for a series of games that will net him $50,000, enjoyed a farewell helping of pie at home before he left Santa Barbara for the east. "Mr., "Dad" and Dorothy Swanson., Ernie's niece, made sure he lacked nothing at his farewell meal.

SIX NEW CHAMPS IN GAME OF BIFF

Only Walker, Greb, Dempsey Retained Their Titles In Record Year.

Heavy Champion Idle Twelve Months, But Managed To Get Married.

New champions were created in six of the eight major classes of boxing during 1925, one of the greatest turn-overs in the history of the ring. Of the headliners who began the year, only Micky Walk-are among the welterweights; Harry Greb among the middleweights and Jack Dempsey among the heavyweights remained at the head of their respective division.

It was no trick for Dempsey, as a matter of fact. He simply declined to identify himself with anything as crude as a boxing glove, broke with his erstwhile friend and manager, Jack Kearns; married a motion picture actress, gave the New York athletic commission the run around when it demanded that he accept Harry Wills' challenge and, in general, comported himself in fan from the traditional manner of a champion.

Finally, the hocus-pocus was brought to a climax when he signed with Wills at Niles, Mich., for a bout in which neither time nor place was designated. Nor did the promoters mention what they intended to use for money.

Others Are Active.

There was plenty of activity in the other divisions, however. The death of Pancho Villa left the world's flyweight title vacated, and at first, the general tendency was to confer the honor, per se, upon Frankie Genaro, the American champion, who had gained two official and one unofficial decisions over Villa. But Genaro decided to step out for a canter with Fidel La Barba at Los Angeles and lived to regret it.

La Barba, Olympic champion in 1924 and less than a year out of the amateur racket, won a clean-cut decision over Genaro and today is generally recognized as the world s flyweight champion.

Morgan Stopped Ballerino.

Only a few months later, Tod Morgan of Seattle knocked out Mike Ballerino in the tenth round and the gesture carried with it the 130-pound championship, making two titles for the coast. Mike previously, had taken the title away from Kid Sullivan on a decision.

The bantamweight and featherweight divisions also produced new rulers. Charley Phil Rosenberg took the decision and bantam title from Cannonball Eddie Martin early in the year and about the same time the New York commission decreed that a featherweight elimination tourney be held to determine a successor to Johnny Dundee, who had "resigned" from the title. Louis Kid Kaplan of Meriden, Conn., was the ultimate survivor.

Walker Stays on Throne.

Jimmy Goodrich of Buffalo fell heir to the lightweight title in much the same way, but only recently lost the thing to Rocky Kansas, a fellow townsman, on a decision. This transfer was memorable only for the fact that Kansas is a ring veteran of fifteen years' standing.

Micky Walker remained at the head of the welterweights, but only by the grace of a preposterous decision that declared Dave Shade the loser at the end of fifteen rounds.

The light-heavyweight division also took a turn for the better, coincident with the elimination of one Michael McTigue, who had occupied the throne by virtue of his non-activity. In a weak moment Berlenbach for the New York milk fund last May and lost the decision at the end of fifteen rather tedious rounds.

NEW YORK STICKS TO FIGHT JUDGES

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garden might have been torn down but the general impression was—

NOT IN IT FOR DOUGH.

"Well, two judges like that certainly were on the level, and if they were wrong they were not working for any dough out of it."

"They are the kind of officials we want and the type of men we are going to assign in the future, "James A. Farley, chairman of the commission said.

"Mistakes are made many times. You think one man wins a close fight and I may think he has lost. Even the newspapermen differ in their opinions. Just a week ago there was a bout between Eddie Hoffman and Ad Stone in New Jersey, and there was a wide diversity of opinon in the newspapers If the critics cannot agree, how can we get officials who will give a decision that meets with general approval?"

RUMORS OF FIXED FIGHTS.

Members of the commission have heard—although no evidence has ever been presented that various fights in New York in recent years had been fixed, that judges had been bought and that referees had been paid off to call a foul when the proper time came.

There was also the protest that judges and referees gained preference on the working list by the number of votes they commanded, rather than any experience they had had in the ring or any knowledge they had of the boxing rules.

NAMES STRICKEN OFF.

"We have stricken a number of officials off the list," Farley said," "and we are adding new names and the new comers are going to be of the same business men type—men who have been boxing fans for years and men who are sure to give an honest and fair decision."

Farley pointed out that former fighters and managers are not always the best officials.

Mike Has Injured Hand.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Mike McTigue will not be able to don a boxing glove for a week or ten days as a result of an injured hand sustained in his bout with Tiger Flowers last week.

The former light-heavyweight champion is still confident he can take Paul Berlenbach's title away from him and declares he will hold Tex Rickard to his promise of giving him a crack at the champion.

Egypt, Morocco and Turkey have several soccer leagues.

CIRCLES

Y. M. C. A. INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE.

Team Standings.

	G	W	L	TP	Pct
Grainger Bros.	33	29	4	25655	.889
Gooch's Best	33	27	6	25086	.819
Curtis, T. & P.	33	23	10	23612	.697
O'Shea-Rogers	33	20	13	22482	.607
Roberts' Dairy	33	18	15	22249	.545
Post Office	33	17	16	22860	.514
Evans Laundry	33	17	16	22655	.514
Sec. Mut. Life	33	14	19	20532	.424
Neb. L. & M.	33	14	19	21297	.424
Sinclair Oil Co.	33	11	22	21598	.333
Gas & Elec. Co.	33	4	29	20053	.111
Markel Dodges	33	4	29	20537	.111

Individual Standings.

Foster	164	Moran	140
Lyons	163	Hinds	136
Egger	163	Loosbrock	135
Points	163	Thompson	135
Barr	160	Steele	135
Ernst	159	Gorman	135
Roth	158	Albers	135
Potter	156	Schwartz	135
Sutton	155	Andy	134
Imlay	154	Helmer	134
Bean	154	Laughlin	133
Packard	153	Lauh	133
Mohr	152	Edwards	133
Pegler	150	Yantzi	132
Miller	150	Dillman	131
Cedom	150	Hanson	131
Diamond	149	Wilson	130
Kreamer	149	Wisser	130
Harding	148	Shear	125
Helzer	148	Mook	124
Workman	147	Kechter	124
Van Syoc	146	Jager	124
Jones	145	McAtee	123
Ferguson	145	Mutchie	123
Simons	145	Kempkes	123
Hudson	144	Anderson	122
Adkins	144	E. Damewood	121
Herzog	144	Reed	120
Daland	144	Davis	120
Coyle	143	Bohanan	120
Carlson	143	Damewood	120
Bivins	142	Sick	113
Stone	142	Trenholm	112
Browak	141	Newswager	101
Sacks	141		

High team series—Gooch's Best, 2,446.
High individual series—Lyons, 565.
High individual game—Lyons, 236.
High team game—Grainger Bros., 877.

BOOSTER LEAGUE.

Team Standings.

	G	W	L	Pct
Real Cleaners	39	32	7	.822
Smith's Bakery	39	26	13	.667
Shogo Lithia	39	24	15	.615
Lawlor's	39	24	15	.615
White Star Cafe	39	20	19	.513
Saratoga Alleys	39	14	25	.359
Richmond Candy	39	8	31	.205
Burlington	39	11	18	.282

Individual Averages.

	G	Pins	Ave
McKibben	3	611	204
French	3	592	197
Fish	3	567	189
Sopa	39	7299	187
Ohlson	15	2741	183
Finley	39	6976	178
Keck	24	4191	175
Robinson	30	5222	174
Graves	21	3718	174
Browne	12	2090	174
Kissler	39	6666	171
Dreith	39	6588	168
Amend	39	6488	167
Bishop	36	5985	166
Rohrig	39	6459	166
Miller	36	5967	166
Sharrar	33	5480	166
Johnson	30	4948	165
Lange	36	5955	166
Jennings	39	6413	164
Dutton	39	6336	163
Dunman	36	5835	162
Macay	6	969	162
Latterle	33	5360	161
Helm	3	482	161
Waugh	33	5213	159
Brehm	21	3329	158
Hayden	30	4740	158
Simmons	21	3300	157
Kelly	39	6050	156
Rinker	6	933	156
Christensen	39	5995	154
La Rue	36	5527	154
Rolfsmeyer	22	3361	153
Buttery	36	5465	152
Lebsock	33	5945	153
Rumhold	3	452	151
Laird	21	3150	150
Hobbs	21	3072	146
Wheeler	6	854	142
Kane	6	855	143
Plank	33	4670	141
Atkins	24	3240	135

High team series—White Star Cafe, 2,721.
High individual series—Sipe, 632.
High individual game—Graves, 248.
High team game—Real Cleaners, 967.

TILDEN LEADS IN FIELD OF TENNIS

"Bill" Johnston His Equal, However, In All Save Physical Strength.

It was a momentous year in tennis, but when the general furore subsided and the dust settled, William T. Tilden remained at the top once more. It was the sixth successive year that Tilden won the national championship in men's singles, which is tantamount to world supremacy, in view of the fact that the Davis cup stars of all leading countries were among the entries.

However, if Tilden proved supreme, Billy Johnston was his equal in everything except physical strength. The big little man from the coast came on to the championships facing what was believed to be the end of his tether. This impression was heightened when he lost to Dr. George King at Seabright but, thereafter, Billy was not to be trifled with.

Better Than Richards.

The Davis cup committee insisted upon him battling Vincent Richards for the second singles position and Johnson proved his superiority in two gruelling matches. Then he knocked off Rene Lacoste and Jean Borotra, the challenging French, without trouble. In fact, Tilden experienced much greater difficulty with the French stars, each of which carried him to five sets after being within a stroke or so of victory.

In the national championships that followed, all of the foreigners were eliminated in the early rounds, leaving four Americans—Tilden, Johnston, Richards and Dick Williams—in the semi-finals. Tilden and Johnston survived.

Then they staged one of the greatest title duels in history. Johnston won the first set and was within a point of taking the second, but volleyed out of court on an easy "kill." The point would have given him the set at 6 to 4 and saved much of his strength. As it was, it went to eighteen games and Tilden won.

Tilden also won the clay court title, to say nothing of a dozen or so minor events. He was beaten by Richards edrly in the campaign, but didn't let it happen again.

The women's events saw Helen Wills win the American title for the third straight time and

Suzanne Still Supreme.

Only Suzanne Lenglen stood between Helen and the world supremacy, the French woman again winning at Wimbledon.

National champions also were crowned in the following events: Men's doubles—Williams and Richards; mixed doubles—John B. Hawks, Australia, and Miss McKane, England; junior singles—Cranston Holman; junior double—T. Hill and H. L. Johnston, Jr., Warham, Mass; boys' singles—F. X. Shields, New York; boys' doubles — Shields and Walter Thomas; national girls' singles — Helen Jacobs.

Helen Wills, Tennis Champ, to Europe

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Miss Helen Wills, national lawn tennis champion, will leave here aJnuary 31 for New York, whence she will sail for Europe Feb. 6.

Miss Wills, who expects to be gone six months, will be accompanied by her mother and will go direct to Paris.

GOOD GOODS IN SMALL PARCELS

Little Fellows Often Turn Out to Be Stars In Big Leagues.

A major league club last summer bought an infielder from the bushes on his record. He broke into print in the home papers as a prospective sensation and then the option was cancelled. The owner discovered that he stood only 5 feet 6 and weighed under 150 pounds and immediately decided that he was too small. He argued that no one could be a real ball player unless he was five feet nine or over.

The owner hadn't read up on the game. The chances are that the player in question will make good and that he will do so in the majors. He has everything that a ball player should have.

Willie Keeler wasn't much on size but just the same he has come down in the records as one of the greatest outfielders and batters in the game; past or present.

Made Walsh Like It.

The mastodonic Ed Walsh laughed outright when the White Sox manage sent Ray Schalk to warm up the great spitball pitcher.

"I'll just toss 'em to you boy," quoth Eddie.

"Just as you please," retorted the diminutive backstop, "but don't hold back on my acount. If you have any speed I would like to see it."

Ed puffed and perspired. He threw them high and he sent them in low, on the side and on the ground. Ray clutched them all and without seeming effort.

Little Fellows Have oGods.

Back in the old days there was "Shorty" Fuller, shortstop for the Giants. Not much on size, he could get them and did. Miller Huggins, now boss of the Yankees, could hardly be seen in front of the catcher when at bat, but what he could do in the field and in most every other department of the game was something else. Old timers probably remember Jim Cooney, "The Fox," picked up by Cap Anson when the Brotherhood raided his team. How that boy could go? He could walk under Anson's arms but he could play the game. Paul Radford was a great outfielder for Providence and Washington. He was the pee wee of all gardeners in his time. Hugh Duffy couldn't brag much about size. Will Sudhoff of the old St. Louis Cards was small enough to be "Wee" and he was all of that—but he certainly could pitch.

Dick Kerr wasn't a slouch of a hurler when first with the White Sox. "Rabbit" Maranville stands five feet five and Andy High one inch more, but both have made their marks.

Archdeacon and Sewell.

Maurice Archdeacon, the fastest man on the bases today and good enough for a berth with the champion Senators, can't boast about stature. Neither can Joe Sewell of the Indians, one of the outstanding shortstops of the day.

Earl Adams of the Cubs, reckoned as the smallest man in the game, has saved the Cubs from disaster two years in succession. The Boston Braves have a pair of midgets in Walter Gauttreau and Horace Kibbie, second and short respectively, who might be considered the "pony" team in baseball. Well, Gauttreau was given honorable mention as the most valuable player in the National league this year. There are others "sawed-off," as for instance "Nemo" Liebold of Washington and Eddie Moore of Pittsburgh.

It isn't the size. Its what's in 'em.

GOLF HALO FITS ATLANTA BOBBY

Dixie Expert Outstanding Performer On American Links Past Season.

Not since 1916 and the heyday of "Chick" Evans, has an American golfer come so close to winning both of our major golf titles as did Robert T. Jones, the wellknown young man, during the season of 1925. Bobby went to Worcester, Mass., for the American open and finished in a tie with Willie Macfarlane, professional, for the title, at 291 strokes.

An 18-hole play-off was staged and this ended in a tie also. Then, in an extra play-off of 18 holes, Macfarlane finally prevailed.

However, Robert repeated his 1924 victory in the amateur championship, a tournament that will go down in the books as unique. In the first place, only sixteen qualified, leaving Francis Ouimet and other ex-champions in the outer darkness.

Bobby Easy Winner.

In the second, Jones went into the final round against Watts Gunn, his friend, pupil and protege, whom he brought on from Atlanta merely for the experience. He got plenty; in fact, it was not until he went up against Jones his pal and protector, in the final round, that Gunn's game proved susceptible to flights of fancy. Jones won easily.

Except that the trick had become rather commonplace, Jim Barnes' victory in the British open at Prestwick was worthy of a monument to the supremacy of American golf. It was the third time within a matter of four years that an American had won the English title.

Smith Blew His Chance.

Macdonald Smith went into the final round behind a rather imposing lead, but this proved a flability rather than an asset. He drew one of the largest and most unruly galleries that ever appeared on a golf course and his game went all to seed. Barnes, meantime, received little attention and slipped in to the title, almost unobserved.

Glenna Collett uncovered a return to form in winning the women's national championship at St. Louis, but earlier in the year, was unsuccessful in her invasion of England in quest of the British title. She met Joyce Wethered in one of the early rounds and the English women established her claim to world's supremacy.

The intercollegiate golf title west of the Alleghenies for the first time in, lo, these many years. Its course, in fact, was south by west. The winner was G. F. Lamprecht of Tulane.

John L. Sullivan knocked out 165 men on his famous tour.

Who's Who In The Sports World for 1925.



Volumes could be written on the wonderful records in sports made during the year 1925. In every branch of athletics there were sterling performances. Baseball, football, track and field, tennis, golf and swimming all recorded remarkable efforts. In baseball there was Hornsby; in football, Grange, with his wonderful runs and financial acumen, and Oberlander of Dartmouth; Berlenbach won the honors in boxing, while Bobby Jones was most versatile on his links. Bill Tilden continued to set the pace in tennis, and Nurmi resembled an antelope on the track. Horemans took the billiard title to Belgium. On the turf, American Flag proved a worthy son of Man o' War.

FIVE GRID TEAMS WITHOUT DEFEAT

Dartmouth Best In the East, With Alabama, Michigan Close On Heels.

Grange Great In One Game Only, But Succeeds In Getting the Dough.

Five teams, Dartmouth, Alabama, Washington, Colgate and Tulane, and one man, Harold 'Red' Grange, of Illinois, contributed to the general gaiety of the 1925 football season, the former because they survived the campaign undefeated, the latter because he exploited his ball-running ability to a point where it paid him hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Grange was the first collegian to leave the campus for the professional gridiron and make it pay him in big, serious money. The echo of the whistle in his final college game was hardly stilled when Grange joined the Chicago Bears and within a fortnight had won himself $100,000 in gate receipts and advertising gratuities and a movie contract alleged to be worth $300,000 for one picture.

Poor Record as "Pro."

And, in spite of the furore, quite a few reputable critics did not believe that Grange was entitled to a place on the first All-American team. He ran wild against Pennsylvania, but otherwise did little to distinguish himself. He did even less against the "pro" outfits, beyond establishing an endurance record by playing eight games in twelve days.

As a matter of fact, "Swede" Oberlander, of Dartmouth, was generally hailed as the greatest back of the year, with Ernie Nevers of Stanford, Wilson of Washington, Flourney of Tulane and Pooley Hubert of Alabama receiving sparadic support for the honors.

Critics Unable to Agree.

Critics were equally divided as to the best football team of the season. Dartmouth and Alabama were the only outfits to finish the season without a defeat or tie and the general tendency was to rate Dartmouth at the top. However, there were those who held forth for Michigan, which only had three points scored against it. These, however, were enough to give northwestern a 3-to-2 decision and deprive the Wolverine of his rightful position.

Amicable Solution.

As for the others, Colgate played two tie games and one of them was with Brown, which had been defeated by Pennsylvania, Yale Dartmouth and Harvard; Tulane was tied by Missouri, but which suffered a defeat by Kansas; and Washington also played a tie with Nebraska, yet had one of the strongest elevens in the country.

The only amicable solution was to award the eastern title to Dartmouth, the "Big Ten" championship to Michigan, the Missouri Valley honors to Missouri, the far western title to Washington and divide southern honors between Alabama and Tulane.

PRO SPORT HURT BY RED GRANGE

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of Frankfordians. They are not, in the main, connected with any college, and they do not desire to leave town to see a game between elevens in which they are not particularly interested.

"The Frankford community wants football, and, although the players may not absorb the spirit of the community, the public is bubbling over with it. They back their team in admirable manner, and they deserve to have a real team every autumn.

"It makes their lives fuller, better. It gives them something to be thrilled about and to talk over pro football, yes, but in this case it is a blending also of sport and sentiment.

Pros Barred as Coaches.

"There are persons in communities throughout the country who read about the great college elevens yet have no team to which they can attach their interest. In such places professional football thrives—and I think justifiably. Green Bay, Wis., is a very good example. This city has a population of only 30,000, and yet eight thousand attend the football games.

"Unfortunately, recent incidents have injured the game. Already certain colleges in the Southern conference have banned pro football players as coaches.

Had Visions of Coaching.

"I had visions of tackling the job of college coaching after I had a few years' experience with a pro team. Now certain colleges are closed to me. There are other men in similar position.

"It seems to me that those connected with professional football are to blame for this. If the National League of Football lived up to the rules prohibiting a college player from signing with a pro team before he has graduated, the game would no be in better favor.

"Professional football can be fostered in a way that would appeal to most thinking persons, but it can also be killed dead as a stone."

COAST ELEVEN CONQUERS EAST

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his tackle position and Slaughter was a bulwark at guard.

Ed Garbisch, former Army star, showed to good advantage at center.

Horrell dominated the western line, while Imlay and Needles were the powers in its backfield. Jack Patrick, formerly of Stanford, did some nice punting, about equalizing the long kicks of Wyckoff.

EAST THREATENED ONCE.

The east's threat in the second quarter, represented by a gain of 65 yards in two end runs, was quickly nullified by a bad pass team back 23 yards. Another loss, when all the men eligible for a forward pass were covered, tok the bal back to midfield and the east's one big opportunity was lost.

The game was played mostly in eastern territory, the west being clearly entitled to the verdict. The lineup and Summary:

West.

Brown (Olympic club)	Left end
Shipkey (Stanford)	Left tackle
Bryan (Washington)	Left guard
Horrell (Calif)	Center
Bailey (Olympic club)	Right guard
Locey (Oregon Ags)	Right tackle
Muller (Calif)	Right end
Carlson (Calif)	Quarter
Needles (Santa Clara)	Left half
Imlay (Calif)	Right half
Patrick (Stanford)	Fullback

East.

Sloan (Drake)	Left end
Chase (Pittsburgh)	Left tackle
Slaughter (Michigan)	Left guard
Garbisch (Army)	Center
Farwick (Army)	Right guard
Edwards (Michigan)	Right tackle
Dilweg (Marquette)	Right end
Uteritz (Michigan)	Quarter
Jones (Florida)	Left half
Fry (Iowa)	Right half
Wyckoff (Georgia Tech)	Fullback

Score by periods:

West	0	0	6	0	—6
East	0	0	0	0	—0

Touchdown—Muller (West).

Officials: Referee—Walter Eckersall, Chicago. Umpire—Hub Huebel, Michigan. Headlinesman—H. P. Braddock, Pennsylvania Field judge—Dr. Albert Boles, Minnesota.

Time of periods—15 minutes.

The difference between a sensible merger and a wicked trust is about 20 years of elapsed time.

Four Letter Men On Friend Squad

FRIEND, Neb., Dec. 26. — Four leter men are members of the Friend high basketball squad this season. The veterans are Campbell, Hill, T. Kesler and C. Slumberger . Other promising candidates are C. Kesler, Samuelson, Rank and Janssen.

Coach Joe W. Bayer has several open dates on the schedule and is anxious to schedule games. The slate:

Jan. 8—Beaver Crossing at Friend (tentative).
Jan. 14—Milford at Friend.
Jan. 20—Open (here or away).
Jan. 22—Wilber at Wilber.
Jan. 27—Open (away).
Jan. 29—Diller at Friend.
Feb. 3—Open.
Feb. 5—Fairbury at Friend.
Feb. 11—Milford at Milford.
Feb. 12—Exeter at Friend.
Feb. 18-19—Saline county tournament at Crete.
Feb. 26—Dewitt at riend (tentative).

Son of Man O' War Wins Turf Honors During '25 Season

For the first time in several years, there was no Papyrus from England nor an Epinard from France to add a touch of international glamor to the racing season but, nevertheless, it contrived in 1925 to enjoy its customary success. Crowds were as great, if not greater, than ever before. Competition was of the best.

And so were the champions. One of them was American Flag, son of the great Man o' War. American Flag had no trouble in establishing his supremacy as the best three-year-old of the campaign.

Another champion was Pompey, which won the Futurity, the Hopeful and most of the important stakes for two-year-olds. Pompey was beaten only once, Flight of Time getting the honor, but there was no doubt that the former was entitled to be hailed the leading juvenile of the year.

American Flag won the Belmont, the Withers, the Lawrence Realization and other big stakes, but didn't start in either the Kentucky Derby or the Preakness.

The Churchill Downs classic went to Flying Ebony, an outsider. The latter was fortunate in drawing Earl Sande as his rider, the great jockey taking the assignment overnight and giving the colt a million-dollar ride down the stretch. The race was run on a heavy track.

The Preakness, a rival $50,000 stake conducted simultaneously at Pimlico, went to Coventry, another long shot.

Correct this sentence: "He's just a normal boy," said the mother, "but he never tries to sneak off without his overshoes."

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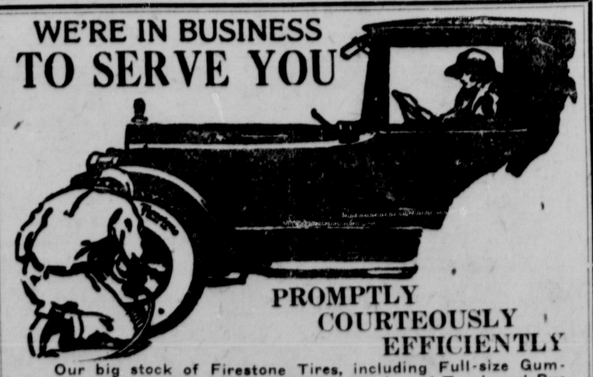
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UNITED STATES KEEPING EYE ON CHINA SITUATION

Possibility Of a Russ-Jap Clash Seen After Fall Of Tien Tsin.

Sending Of American Destroyers To Shanghai Thought Significant.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Official Washington was openly alarmed tonight over the chaotic condition of China following the capture of Tien Tsin by Gen. Feng Yu-Hsiang, the so-called "Christian general."

Feng has been openly associated with soviet Russia since his remarkable rise to a dominant position in Chinese affair and fears were felt in many quarters that the stage is being set fro the long feared conflict between Japan and Russia in China.

In the absence of detailed information from American Minister John Vaha MacMurray at Peking, the action of Rear Admiral Clarence Williams, commander of the Asiatic squadron, in dispatching five American destroyers to Shanghai was regarded as significant.

Japan also has taken cognizance of the situation by dispatching two destroyers to Tien Tsin to reinforce her troops at that key city, apparently because of fears for the safety of the foreign settlement.

The collapse of Gen. Chang Tso-Lin's fomerly undisputed hold on Manchuria was the first evidence according to many observeds of the really serious trend of events in China.

Scure At Mukden.

Chang, known as the "war lord of Manchuria," was regarded as the most powerful militarist in all China in his own particular stronghold. Although defeated many times in other sections of that vast country, he could always retire to Mukden, his capital city, secure in his power at home.

The splitting up of Chang's army caused unusual concern at this time because soviet influence was revealed as more powerful than had been generally believed.

Chang was supported by Japan which regarded him as an imposing buffer against Russian influence in Manchuria, over which the Japanese have had control since the Russo-Japanese war. Heavy Japanese reinforcements have been rushing to Mukden and other strategic Manchurian points since Chang's collapse.

Execution Confirmed.

HONOLULU, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Official confirmation of the report that Chang Tso-Lin, ruler of Manchuria, has captured and executed Gen. Kuo Sung-Lin, has been received by the Japanese government, according to a special Tokio dispatch to Hochi Sha, a Japanese paper here.

The dispatch added that Chang Tso-Lin has won a decisive victory over the forces that sought to overthrow his power in Manchuria. Gen. Kuo Sung-Lin commanded the troops that rebelled.

Promise Broken.

TOKYO, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The foreign office announced today that Gen. Chang Tso Lin, the Manchurian war lord, broke his promise to Consul Yoshida at Mukden when he executed Gen. Kuo Sung Ling and his wife.

Yoshida, it was announced, had the Manchurian war lord's word that he would protect Kuo Sung-Ling's life and property.

Yoshida is now endeavoring to save the lives of other generals in Kuo Sung's army and his four surviving wives and ten children.

The report that Chang's troops paraded through the streets of Mukden holding aloft the body of Kuo Sung-Ling's dead wife is thought to have been exaggerated here. Japan, however, is displeased with the reports of Chang's cruelties.

Whether or not the Manchurian war lord's troops have re-entered Mukden could not be definitely ascertained here today.

The war office announced today that the special troops sent to Mukden would be recalled before New Year's.

Japan today withdrew its notice to General Chang Tso-Lin prohibiting him from entering the six mile railway zone. Chang will be allowed to return to Mukden if he so wishes, it was announced.

Executions Reported.

PEKING, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Marshal Chang Tso-Lin, the Manchurian war lord, has executed General Kuo Sung-Ling and his wife, according to a report received here today.

Kuo Sung-Ling, formerly the trusted aide and lieutenant of Chang, was the war lord's bitterest enemy and contender for supremacy of Manchuria.

Kuo Sung-Ling was captured when Chang executed a successful attack on his position.

Has Half Chance To Wear Crown



If Otto, youthful heir apparent, does not ascend Hungary's throne by 1930, rights of succession will go to Archduke Albrecht (above), as a result of agreement reached in Budapest between representatives of the two. Hungary is now ruled by a regency.

Commands Polar Aero Expedition



March 21 has been set by George H. Wilkins ,commander, as the hopping off date for private United tempt to conquer the North pole by air. The start will be made from Point Barrow, Alaska, in two planes. Photo shows Capt. Wilkins, Australian, in Arctic regalia.

German Industrial Leaders Hope For Economic Locarno

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—German industrial leaders and business men, whom Christmas found in the slough of despondency because of the general financial depresion, see a faint ray of hope in the prospect that an "economic Locarno" will accomplish for European business in 1926 what the meeting at the Swiss resort last October did for improved international relations in Europe.

Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the reichsbank, is one of the latest preachers of the new gospel of the interdependence of the nations of the world along economic as well as fiscal lines.

The Berliner Tageb att has just published a symposium to which outstanding figures in the financial and business world of Germany contributed their views for the economic rehabilitation of the Fatherland.

Dr. Schacht declared the war "showed more than any theoretical opinion conceived in pence time, how closely the economic developments of all European countires are inter-allied and inter-related," adn added, "an economic conference must take place, as no European country can prosper if the others are going through a period of economic depression."

Death Of Jerome Alexandre In South Is To Be Probed

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—An inquest will be held Monday into the death of Jerome Alexandre, said to be the son of James Joseph Alexandre, president of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co., found in a burning rooming house here last Thursday.

It was first believed that Alexandre had fallen asleep with a lighted cigaret in his hand and met death by suffocation in the fire that followed.

Authorities today were analyzing the contents of a bottle of liquor found beside the body with a view to determining whether his death was caused from poison whiskey.

Alexandre's widow, the daughter or Orlando A. Jones of Sea Gate, L. I., was prostrated here today. The couple is said to have planned a reconciliation for Christmas after having been separated for some time. Mrs. Alexandre had withdrawn a pending divorce action and came to this city recently.

Alexandre was an air service instructor at Ellington Flield, Tex., during the World war and had seen service on the Mexican border with the 105th machine gun battalion.

Repay Depositors Of a Failed Bank After 48 Years

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Forty-eight years ago the Jacob Bunn bank, a local private banking institution, failed and after going into voluntary bankruptcy paid its depositors 71 1-2 per cent.

Tonight heirs of the banker announced they plan to refund the remaining 28 1-2 per cent to the creditors with 5 per cent interest for fifty years. The total reimbursements will amount to approximately $800,000.

Checks for $200,000 were mailed tonight to 225 of the 1,200 persons, or their heirs, who carried deposits in the bank at the time it was voluntarily liquidated.

The rest of the $500,000 will be paid as soon as the detail of tracing heirs through the third and fourth generations is completed.

The money is being refunded by Miss Alice Bunn, Henry Bunn, George W. Bunn and Jacob Bunn, jr., heirs to the estate of the banker.

Turks Consider Mosul Decision

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—A council of naval and army staff chiefs was held today at Angora to consider the recent League of Nations council award of Mosul.

VAN SWEARINGEN MERGER FAVORED

Coolidge Administration Approval For Huge Nickel Plate Joining.

Interstate Commission Hearing of Minority Proceeds This Week.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The Coolidge administration, through the interstate commerce commission, will approve the ambitious plans of the Van Swearingen brothers of Cleveland, to unify five great transportation systems of the county into a single system, known as the Nickle Plate, it was learned tonight.

Despite charges of a small group of stockholders of the Chesapeake & Ohio & Hocking Valley railroads, two properties involved in the billion dollar merger, that the promoters have "resorted to deceit, bribery and fraud to attain their ends," a majority of the commission has come to the conclusion that the Van Swearingen merger "is in the public interest."

The final chapter in the greatest railroad merger in recent years, involving five important railroads with a mileage in excess of 9,000 miles and a property value of $1,400,000,000, will be written next week when the commission will hear agurments for and against the Van Swearingen proposal. Four days have been allotted to counsel for both sides.

Baker To Argue.

The Van Swearingens will be represented by Col. William A. Colston, former examiner of the commission, who has handled the legal affairs of the two former Cleveland newsboys since they embarked upon their spectacular railroad career, and Newton D. Baker, secretary of war in the Wilson administration.

Opposing them will be Col. Henry W. Anderson, republican leader of Richmond, Va., and Thomas R. Gay, also of Richmond, who represent a group of dissenting stockholders of the Chesepeake and Ohio.

The Coolidge administration is definitely committed to the proposal of condolitating the railroads of the country into a limited number of systems. While the Van Swearingen merger differs from the tentative plan worked out by the interstate commerce commission to consolidate the railroads into nineteen major groups, its general phases fit the Coolidge program.

In granting approval of the Van Swearingen brothers' plan to unify the Chesapeake & Ohio, Pere Marquette, Erie and Hocking Valley railroads with the Nickel Plate system, the commission is expected to stipulate that the minority stockholders who are opposing the merger shall receive better terms than originally offered by the promoters. Certain short line railroads, not now figuring in the Van Swearingen merger, also may receive some consideration from the commission.

Thwart Jail Break Attempt Planned by a Condemned Killer

DAYTON BEACH, Fla., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—A jail delivery said to have been planned by Charles Brown, convicted murderer, under sentence of death, was thwarted by sheriff's deputies at the Volusia county jail at Deland today.

Learning that Brown was armed and that with other prisoners he was preparing to make a break for liberty, deputies made a surprise attack, disarming Brown before he had time to bring his gun into play.

Brown is awaiting appeal for the murder of Howard Usher. His appeal for a new trial is pending before the state supreme court.

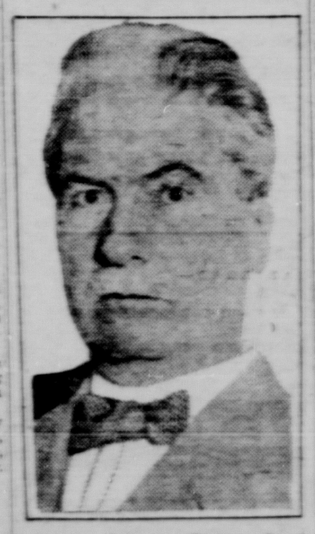
"Gloomy Dean" Laments Granting Power to Labor

LONDON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—"The world is still sick and feverish and hardly convalescent," declared Dean Inge, the "gloomy dean," in his Christmas sermon at St. Paul's cathedral.

Dean Inge said he saw a gleam of light from the Locarno pact, but that the laboring classes would decide whether England would "sink or swim."

"Coming danger, I believe, threatens us from within," said the "gloomy dean." "The control of our destinies has passed into the hands of the class—I hope I am not unjust—which seems at present not fully educated to those moral qualities which make a great nation happy and united—the class of organized labor."

Blease's Demand for Dry Legations Stirs Controversy



Senator Cole L. Blease, South Carolina, has stirred up a controversy in Washington by his demand that the dry law be enforced against all foreign embassies in the capital. As a matter of international courtesy, accredited representatives of other nations have been exempted from the law's provisions.

"Nicky" Arnstein And Liberty Smile



Prison officials are laughing at the declaration of "Nicky" Arnstein that he is going to devote the rest of his life to improving conditions in Leavenworth prison from where he has just been freed after serving nineteen months on the charge of conspiracy in connection with $5,000,000 bond robbery in New York. "For the first time in his life he had to work," they explain. Photo taken after his release shows how "Nicky" famed in police circles, as he is today.

Coolidge Orders Another Holiday At the Capitol

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The wheels of the federal government remained still again today.

On order of Presidnet Coolidge, government employes were given a holiday following Christmas and all the departments were closed.

The capitol was as deserted as during the long adjournment of congress during the summer. Many senators and house members returned home for the ten day holiday recess.

Music Notes

John Powell, pianist and composer, like many of his American collegues in the musical art, developed his musical gifts abroad. Mr. Powell spent several years with the great teacher of piano, Leschetizsky, in Vienna, after he had graduated from the University of Virginia, with Phi Beta Kappa honors. After his latest New York concert, on the eve of the transcontinental concert tour on which Mr. Powell is now engaged, the critics of the metropolis were unanimous in the verdict that this Virginia gentlemen "is one of the best pianists to be heard today."

E. Robert Schmitz could not conclude his last concert in Houston, Texas in time to make the 10:10 train, and yet he was obliged to take in order to be in time to play in Norman; so permission was obtained from the Santa Fe for the fast through train to be held ten minutes at Houston to allow Mr. Schmitz to board it. Never before has this train been held except for the president or some high official of the road.

Florence Easton was honored by the Woman's committee of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra recently at a membership tea at the home of Mrs. Oscvar Johnson, in that city. This was given especially for Florence Easton, the soloist of the current pair of concerts by the orchestra. The reception for Easton was the initial function arranged in honor of a concert guest artist.

Charles Wakefield Cadman has signed a three-year contract with the Ampico company and will record selections from his Witch of Salem as well as accompaniments of his famous songs. Mr. Cadman will attend the premier of The Witch of Salem in Chicago before his return to California.

Feodor Challapin is going to organize his own grand opera company for a coast to coast American tour for the entire season of 1926-27, later going to Mexico and Cuba for appearance there. The management of the company will be in the hands of S. Hurok, managing director of Universal Artists, Inc. He will endeavor to make his new enterprise as representatively American as possible. No expense will be spared either in the engagement of personnel, or in scenic investure, properties and costuming. Mr. Challapin's vehicle for the first season will be Rosalini's "Barber of Seville." This work provides an opportunity for him to display many sides of his talents as a singing actor. He will personally select the complete artistic personnel for the new opera organization, and will be the supreme artistic arbiter of the enterprise.

A departure from the custom of the notable artists taking part in ship concerts for the benefit of the Seamen's society of New York, and Liverpool was made by Florence Macbeth not long ago when she appeared at the Sunday Church instead and pleased the passengers on the S. S. Cedric on one of its recent voyages from Liverpool by her solos. The collection made, as usual for the seamen, proved to be unsually heavy.

CASAGRANDE AGAIN DELAYED

CASABLANCA, Morocco, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—A storm today smashed the pontoons of the hydroplane of Count Casagrande, the Italian aviator who is attempting to fly to Buenos Aires, Argentina, forcing further postponement of the flight until the first week in January.

Tiny Yawl Brings In "Alcohol Boat"

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Battling a terrific gale three days without food, the crew of a tiny coast guard yawl late today brought into port here the eleven ton gasoline launch Dante, with a cargo of 1,500 gallons of contraband alcohol aboard.

Capt. A. C. Schmidt and a party of dry officers left the coast guard station Monday and searched Barataria bay. They captured the Dante, deserted by her crew as the raiders approached, and started back to port when they encountered the storm.

SENATE RADIO FIGHT LOOMS

Clash Expected January 8 Over Bill Introduced By Senator Howell.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—A stiff fight in congress over federal control of radio loomed tonight.

The clash will come to a head on January 8 when the senate interstate commerce commission meets to hold hearings on the bill by Senator Howell, republican of Nebraska, to establish the government's inherent right to control the ether.

Some senators would place radio control under the interstate commerce commission which would be given regulatory powers similar to that it now holds over telephones, telegraphs and railroads.

In this connection, Secretary of Commerce Hoover today announced he favored placing radio under control of an independent commission. He attacked a published report that he was seeking to monopolize radio under the commerce department.

"For five years I have reiterated that wave lengths are public property to be used by assignment of public authority," said Hoover. "This principle, together with a provision for a commission to control assignments, was incorporated into a bill introduced in congress by Representative White of Maine and approved by me.

"Somebody needs to find out what already has taken place before he starts something," said Hoover sarcastically, in referring to the charge that he sought to be "radio czar."

Suggest Radio University.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—As a step in the direction of better international relations, American radio interests next month will ask the League of Nations to establish an "international radio university," Erich Palmer, official American observer of the trans-oceanic radio tests beginning Jan. 24, announced tonight.

Palmer sails for Europe on the 6. He expects to place the suggestion for a university before the league council on January 19.

"A properly organized international radio university, Palmer said, "can, by encouraging the free exchanges of conflicting viewpoints, do more for the cause of world peace than any number of Locarno treaties or armament reduction covenants."

Expected To Be N. Y. Police Chief



Indications are that Mayor-elect James J. Walker of New York City will give his biggest job—police commissioner, to (above) George B. McLaughlin, now superintendent of banks.

Mail Fliers Have A Narrow Escape

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 26.— (U. P.)—Paul Collins, veteran air mail pilot, and his mechanic, James Mount, narrowly escaped death when thier plane made a forced landing near Bedford at 6:15 tonight.

Collins and his mechanic were bringing the plane from Clarion, Penn. Blinding snow caused them to miss thier landing at the Cleveland air port.

Collins says he was bound for the Cleveland air field when engine trouble developed and a landing was necessary near Bedford.

SEEK COUNTERFETER PLOTTERS.

BUDAPEST, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Police today searched vainly the home of former University of Budapest Professor Messnaros in connection with the alleged discovery of a huge counterfeiting plot in Amsterdam to turn out kronen supposedly to swell funds for counter revolutionary activities of the Albrecht monarchists here. The professor, it developed, fled some days ago.

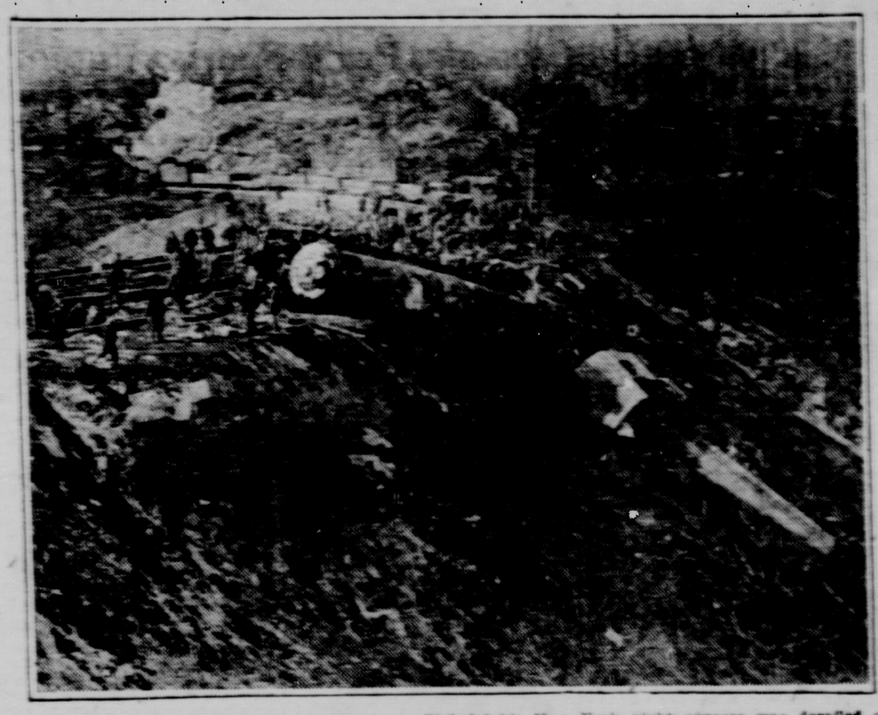
Hold Three Boys For Series of 30 House Robberies

NEWARK, N. J., (U. P.) — Three boys ranging in age from 13 to 19 were arrested here tonight charged with having robbed thirty homes in the last six months of jewelry, silver and clothing valued at more than $50,000.

Frank Tarnacki, 19, of Jersey City, and John Mazeppa, 16, of Iselin, were held in $60,000 bail each on thirty counts of robbery, while a third boy, 13, whose name was not divulged, was held on a charge of juvenile delinquency.

The boys confessed to their raids and pointed out homes of their victims when taken through the sections of their activities.

Scores Narrowly Escape Death in Wreck on Curve



Scores of persons narrowly escaped death when a Philadelphia-New York night express was derailed on the famous Horseshoe curve, ten miles west of Altoona, Pa. Only one person was injured fatally. Photo shows the wrecked cars and locomotive.

The Star of Bethlehem

By GARRETT P. SERVISS.
Noted Astronomer and Writer on Scientific Topics of Popular Interest.

The legend of the periodical visibility of the "Star of Bethlehem" makes so strong an appeal to the poetic imagination that it lives on from generation to generation in defiance of all denials of its truth. It is repeated today with the same dogmatic assertiveness that characterized it when I first heard it more than forty years ago.

Sometimes it is the planet Venus, reappearing in the evening sky, after the close of her sojourn with the morning stars, that is taken for an avatar of the mystic celestial cradle in Bethlehem, guiding the "three magi" to the goal of their long journey. Before the end of May Venus will again be shining above the sunset horizon, and then the tradition is sure to be remembered and repeated by some of those who catch sight of her in her astonishing beauty. People in general do not stop to think of direction, or distance or probabilities, or reasons when their eyes are dazzed and their imagination is on the wing.

I have now before me a letter from a reader in New England who tells me he has for many years been looking in vain for the wonderful star of Bethlehem which, when he was a boy, his father pointed out to him from their door porch at 2 o'clock one morning, glittering in the east. He has asked many persons, but they had never seen it or else they knew nothing about it. He would gladly learn when it will appear again.

But if I should tell him that no doubt it was only the planet Venus that he was looking at on that memorable morning while he stood on the doorstep and listened to the beautiful story, quite possibly he would not believe what I said. And, indeed, Venus at her best is capable of impressing a sense of almost supernatural splendor which might readily link her in one's mind with mythology rather than with sober science.

But the star of Bethlehem legend has been associated also with quite a different celestial object than the planet Venus. In the year 1572, Tycho Brahe, the great Danish astronomer, was amazed one evening to see blazing in the constellation Cassiopeia, on the side toward the North Star, a star of such superlative brilliancy that he could scarcely believe his eyes. It was far brighter than even Venus ever shines. And where it now gleamed and flashed like a great star in flames, not the least spark of light had been visible the night before!

This was the celebrated "Nova" on new star, of 1572, generally called "Tycho's Star." There have been two or three very brilliant "novas" since that time, but perhaps none has quite equalled that one. It remained visible for some fifteen months and then faded out of view. There were no telescopes then to follow it below the level of naked-eye visibility.

But Tycho, a very accurate observer, determined the position of the wonder with great care, so that almost the exact point in the heavens where it burst into view is known in our time. Centuries after Tycho, a European astronomer put forth the hypothesis that Tycho's star might be a "long-period variable," and he collected a number of very uncertain records of the supposed appearance of new stars which, when compared, led him to suggest that they might all have been periodical reappearances of the same star in Cassiopeia. Then apparently under the inspiration of the deceptive demon of fortuitous coincidence, which is responsible for so much superstition and unwarranted credulity in this world, he connected up the supposititious reappearances in a chain whose first link would fall upon the time of the birth of Christ.

Presto! the thing was done. The legend sprang forth full formed. It was only necessary to add half a dozen years here and subtract as many there in order to find a mean periodicity for the imaginary variable of 315 years, which would make Tycho's Star the fifth reappearance of the heavenly wonder since the three magi saw it in Bethlehem of Judea! It may be added that, counting by the assumed period of 315 years, Tycho's star is now about thirty-five years overdue, for nothing has been seen of it since the Danish astronomer lost it from view in 1573.

Old Pacific Fleet Commander Dies at New Jersey Home

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Rear Admiral Casper, 78, of the Goodrich, retired died here today. He was at one time commander of the Pacific coast fleet.

He was in command of the vessel which was sent to England to bring back the survivors of the disastrous Greeley polar expedition and was for many years a naval attache of the American embassy at the court of St. James.

HENRY MIMS PASSES AWAY.

GLOBE, Ariz., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Henry Mims, former Texas ranger and Indian fighter, died here today at the age of 109 years. He was born in Alabama. A son, Henry Mims, jr., 65, resides in Globe.

Civilian Hero Of Shenandoah Crash Ordered To Jail

BELLE VALLEY, Ohio, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Hailed by villagers of Ava as the hero of the Shenandoah disaster because he was the first to render aid when the "daughter of the skies" crashed to earth near here, killing fourteen of the crew, Andy Gamary tonight started through cold prison bars and wondered at the cruelties of fate.

Andy was arrested today for illegal manufacture of liquor.

It is his third arrest on the same charge. Conviction means a penitentiary sentence.

So Andy, whom the natives thought was in line for a government bonus for his gallant work in rendering aid to the navy's bravest, is really in line for a "stretch" in the government prison.

Reported Count Serves Notice of Divorce Action

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The divorce proceedings of Count Salm against his wife, the former Millicent Rogers, were served on the "$40,000,000" heiress here today, according to reports which thus far have failed of confirmation.

Unofficial sources state the divorce action includes a charge of abandonment and that the count will seek custody of their 16-months old son, Peter.

REJECT RIFF "TERMS"

MADRID, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The peace proposals recently published by Gordon Canning, who claimed authorization to endeavor to end the warfare between the Riffian tribesmen and France and Spain, amount to nothing more than propaganda designed to restore the prestige of Abd-El-Krim, according to an official communique issued tonight.

France and Spain stand united, the communique declares, and will only consent to terms which will recognize them as conquerors.

Mickey (Himself) McGuire



A Page Full of Reliable Suggestions For the Making and Saving of Money

TIGERS PICK OFF LIKELY RECRUIT

Detroit Club Grabs Up Good Looking Young Catcher In Tom McCarthy.

Thomas F. McCarthy, baseball catcher, golfer and insurance man, has made a bid for fame and fortune. For fear that Tommy's name has not been a household word in the past, it is here put down that he is a backstop drafted by Detroit, which, although abundantly supplied with catchers, hated to see another one go to waste.

McCarthy was obtained from the Waterbury club of the Eastern league in the grab last fall. Ty Cobb didn't need him, but the scouts insisted that he be tied up to a contract. The Tigers already had Bassler and Woodall, in addition to Manion, so it looks like a tough spring for the rookie; but he is of the sort that should delight the heart of the Georgia Peach.

Glutton for Punishment.

Mac is a glutton for work. He caught five doubleheaders in eight days last summer. When the season was finished he had backstopped in 80 games, a pretty fair record for player who broke into professional baseball last spring.

McCarthy has been called the "midget" of baseball catchers—such a wee bit at that. McCarthy writes that he stands five feet nine and weighs 158 pounds, being considerable more sizeable than the White Sox catcher when he broke into the game. Size, however, doesn't cut much figure with Mac. He is all there in grit and pep. He dotes on the game and doesn't blush when he threatens to make it a real competition with Cobb's yeteran performers.

Star in High School.

The Tigers' new rookie started in young and was a star catcher in high school and on semi-pro diamonds long before he had reached his majority. He was picked off the lots by Kitty Bransfield in the fall 1924 and started right in with Waterbury in the spring 1925. Critics in the east proclaim him a better catcher than Gabby Hartnett was when he broke in with the Chicago Cubs. About the only difference is the "swing" and McCarthy, using this sparingly, compiled a better batting average in the Eastern loop than did Gabby.

McCarthy loves golf, but he has been tipped off that seeing a golf club during th baseball season throws Tyrus into convulsions, so he is expected to put the soft pedal on this sport. However, he is so good in knocking the pill through the fairway that should he fail to make the grade on the diamond he will not be far from a job as golf professional.

The young backstop was born Dec. 5, 1903, winters at Pougkeepsie and is busy during the off season writing insurance policies.

Promotes Profit-Sharing Farming, Boost "Back to Soil" Movement

NEW YORK.—The same profit-sharing principle which has enabled him to build up a highly successful national chain of department stores is to be applied to farming by James Cash Jenny.



J. C. Penny (top) and the Rev. Daniel A. Poling.

The 150,000 acres of land he recently purchased in Florida are being divided into 250 farms, which are to be allocated in the profit-sharing principle under the direction of the J. C. Penny foundation.

The Rev. Daniel A. Poling, president of the United Societies of Christian Endeavor, is director of the foundation, established to administer a series of unusual philanthropies, of which this "back to the soil" movement is only one.

Farming is one of the things in which Penny is edeply interested. Managing his 474-acre farm near New York is his pet avocation. There he maintains about 250 full-blooded and registered Guernseys and a bull whoce picture hangs in Penn's office with the conspicuous inscription, "This is Our Bull."

Farms Are Not for Sale.

None of the Florida farms is for sale, but the farmers will be selected for their fitness to raise fruit and vegetables, and each will be a potential owner. No rent is to be paid duirng the first year. Should the farmer be dissatisfied or be deemed unsatisfactory, he may terminate the arrangement.

If the farmer gives up his allotment he is allowed to retain the full value of his crops. If it is mutually decided that he shall purchase the farm the sale is negotiated on long-term payments at the price agreed upon in advance.

The J. C. Penny Co. is capitalized for $45,000,000. For the current year the stores have been doing a $90,000,000 business, so the foundation should not be hampered for lack of funds. Penny's first job was with J. M. Hale & Bros., in the dry goods trade in Hamilton, Mo., where he was born, the son of a country minister. He received $2.27 a month. Now he is insured for $3,000,000.

His Success Principles.

Of course Penny has a receipe for success. He says the greatest factors in his own are:

"Selecting men who are morally right, placing responsibilities on their shoulders and examining results.

"Unlimited faith in associates.

"Making it possible for men to acquire interest in stores by allowing them to share in that which they produce.

"Tying men's interetss up so that co-operation is assured, resulting in strong organization.

"Bearing with men in their mistakes."

TEX HOLDS SACK IN CHARITY SHOW

New York Promoter Out Of Pocket $15,000 As Result Of Backing Project.

BY DAVIS J. WALSH.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—According to several sources of information, Texas Rickard dropped between $10,000 and $15,000 as a result of staging the annual Christmas fund bouts at the Garden last Wednesday parallel to the ideas laid down by the New York state athletic commission. The board demanded that the charity be granted 50 per cent of the proceeds, per se, and in consequence an excellent program, involving Mickey Walker and Tommy Milligan in the feature bout, had to be abandoned.

The net result was that neither the charity nor the fighters benefitted as much as they had in other years. As for Rickard, he got all the benefit of a right cross on the jowl.

It was said that he had to pay the fighters on the re-arranged card something over $35,000. The proceeds amounted to about $50,000. The commission is said to have demanded ,rather peremptorily, Rickard's check for about $25,000 to be turned over to the charity. The commission got it. Rickard got what was left, which was nothing minus.

The only remedy seen for future charity shows is that the boxers must turn more charitable or the commission rescind its 50 per cent dictum. Under present conditions, someone must hold the bag. It is not likely to be Rickard again. He is a man who places a certain valuation on money.

The board, of course, was influenced in its action by the fact that the fighters under the previous system were getting a lot of money. But so were the charities involved.

Several years ago the milk fund realized handsomely from a series of sensational bouts in which Jess Willard knocked out Floyd Johnson and Luis Firpo, the man with the bearded chest, did the same by Jack McAuliffe II. It would not have been possible to put on such a show with the 50 per cent rule in effect.

GARL LEADING CHECKER MEET

City Championship To Be Decided In Finals This Week.

J. L. Garl was leading the class A division of the Lincoln Checker club tournament when play was suspended Saturday evening. Garl chalked up 29 points in five games.

Play will be resumed Monday and continue through until Thursday when it is expected the finals will be staged. Other class A leaders include Joe Stanton, present state champion, and M. W. Nelson.

W. E. Patterson and George Rollins are high players in class B. W. J. Stout is setting the pace in class C.

An invitation has been extended the Omaha Checke. club to send its four leading players to Lincoln Thursday afternoon for an inter-city match.

Saturday standings in the Lincoln meet:

Class A.

	Pts.	G.
J. L. Garl	29	5
Joe Stanton	18	4
M. W. Nelson	13	2
W. M. Fleming	6	1
Mark Beck	5	2
M. Voss	4	3
Sam Woelk	4	2
L. Perlmutter	3	2

Class B.

W. E. Patterson	64	12
George Rollids	45	8
Stewart Taber	37	8
Roy McCormick	35	7
W. W. Strater	25	4
W. L. Layman	25	5
M. D. Maxwell	22	5
S. W. Tupper	21	6
D. E. Reeve	17	4
L. M. Coleman	14	3
Jim Campbell	11	8
John Smeder	4	2
Chester Hunt	2	2

Class C.

W. J. Stout	12	2
E. Carlson	12	3
J. T. Liston	9	2
N. B. Spence	4	2
Jess Kinder	3	1

FUNERAL AT BEATRICE.

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 26.—Funeral services for Glen Shanklin were conducted Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Scott-Harman chapel by Father E. L. Bickert, and burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Mr. Shanklin was thirty-four years of age and leaves his wife and two children.

LOCAL EGGS AND POULTRY.

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 24.
LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 26.

The following prices are being paid to producers by Samuel L. Shostak:

EGGS—Strictly fresh, dozen, 32c.

POULTRY — Hens, over four lbs., 1b. 21c; hens, under 4 lbs., lb. 17c; Leghorns lb., 14c; Leghorn springs, lb., 20c; cocks, lb., 9c; ducks, over 4 lbs., lb. 16c; geese, lb., 14c; turkeys, lb., 35c; pigeons, doz., 60c.

GOOD—East front, modern house on North 25th street; might consider trade for larger house, B3063.

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Springs, heavy 21c
Leghorn Springs and Hens.....15c
Capons, over 8 lbs.....25c
Ducks 17c

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Football Awards To Hebron Squad

HEBRON, Neb., Dec. 26.—Sixteen football men were awarded grid letters at Hebron high school at a special convocation last Wednesday.

Letters were awarded Captain H. Corliss, Captain-elect Schwab, Wilson, R. Corliss, Brown, Worthen, Orth, Martin, Cruise, Richardson, Eggert, Johnson Cameron H. Miller R. Miller and Collins. The football men presented Coach H. H. Thomas with a leather billfold.

TROOPS PATROL STREETS.

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—Troops patrolled the principal streets of Lourenco East Africa, Christmas day, following an attempt of the government to deport strikers. The effort failed because Portuguese men refused to transport the strikers.

The situation is regarded dangerous as negro infantrymen are being used to over-awe the laborers. The laborers claim their leader was secretly imprisoned.

TO SUPPORT MUSSOLINI

ROME, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)— The Tribuna, for many years the organ of the liberal party, hereafter will support Premier Mussolini and the fascist regime, it was announced tonight.

SATURDAY'S HOURLY TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	17	11 a. m.	12
2 a. m.	17	12 noon	12
3 a. m.	17	1 p. m.	11
4 a. m.	16	2 p. m.	10
5 a. m.	16	3 p. m.	10
6 a. m.	16	4 p. m.	9
7 a. m.	17	5 p. m.	8
8 a. m.	16	6 p. m.	6
9 a. m.	14	7 p. m.	4
10 a. m.	13		

Sunrise, 7:51 a. m.; sunset, 5:04 p. m.

Highest temperature, 21 degrees; lowest temperature, 4 degrees; mean temperature, 12 degrees, which is 13 degrees below normal.

	Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Rel. Hum.
7:30 A. M.	17	16	84
12:30 P. M.	12	11	72
7:00 P. M.	4	3	78

Prvailing direction of wind, north. Highest velocity, 21 miles per hour.

Height of barometer at 7 p. m., 30.63 inches.

Precipitation for last 24 hours, trace.

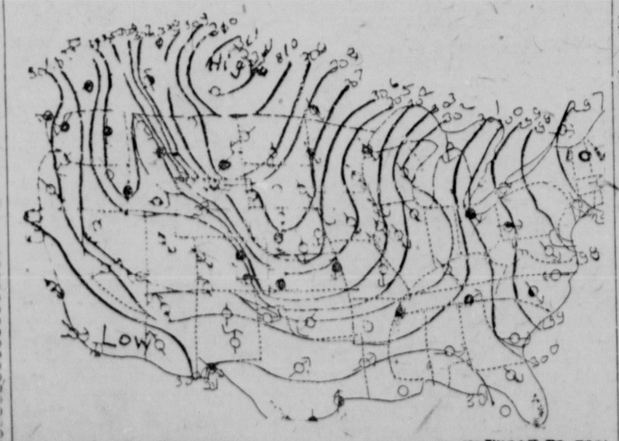
THOMAS A. BLAIR, Meteorologist.

SATURDAY'S TEMPERATURES AND PRECIPITATION.

	High	Pre.
Abilene	70	.00
Bismarck	— 2	.00
Boise	30	.00
Boston	24	.00
Buffalo	16	.00
Cheyenne	46	.00
Chicago	4	.00
Denver	60	.00
Des Moines	6	.00
Dodge City	56	.00
Dubuque	— 2	.00
Duluth	— 6	.00
Galveston	58	.00
Helena	46	.00
Huron	2	.00
Jacksonville	58	.00
Kansas City	20	.00
Lincoln	17	.00
Los Angeles	80	.00
Louisville	16	.00
Memphis	44	.00
Minneapolis	— 2	.00
Montreal	— 2	.00
New Orleans	62	.00
New York	26	.00
Oklahoma City	54	.00
Omaha	6	.00
Phoenix	78	.00
Pittsburgh	14	.00
Portland, Ore.	46	.00
Rapid City	16	.00
St. Louis	22	.00
Salt Lake City	50	.00
San Diego	76	.00
San Francisco	52	.00
Santa Fe	52	.00
Sault St. Marie	— 8	.00
Seattle	44	.00
Sheridan	32	.00
Sioux City	6	.00
Valentine	12	.00
Washington	24	.00
Winnipeg	— 8	.00
Yellowstone	40	.00

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

CHARLES F. MARVIN, Chief



Observations taken at 7 a. m. ... pressure reduced to sea level and lines drawn through points of equal pressure. Arrows fly with wind. ○Clear. ◔ Partly Cloudy. ● Cloudy. ☔Rain. ⊛ Snow. ⊗ Report Missing.

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Markets

Some markets remained closed Saturday in continuation of the Christmas holiday observance.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 26.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; market 10 to 25c lower; medium weight butchers, $11.00@11.25; top, $11.25; packing sows and lights, $9.25@9.50.

Saturday's Representative Sales.

No.	Av.	Dk.	Price	No.	Av.	Dk.	Price
69	266	70	$10.55	61	296	40	$10.65
68	271	...	10.75	55	319	...	10.75
59	261	40	10.80	64	301	...	10.85
70	233	...	10.90	87	190	...	10.95
69	220	...	11.00	84	201	40	11.15
40	196	...	11.25				

CATTLE—Receipts, 500; market steady, 15 to 25c up for week; fed steers and yearlings, $8.50@10.00; cows and heifers, $4.75@8.00; canners and cutters, $3.75@4.50; light veals, top, $9.50; stockers and feeders, $6.75@7.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,800; market steady and strong; wooled lambs, $15.60@15.75; lambs, clips, $14.25; ewes, light and handyweight, $8.00@8.90; feeding lambs, $15.25@15.75.

GRAIN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 26.

Grains closed sharply higher today with wheat 4¼ to 7c up; corn 1⅜ to 2c up, and oats 1 to 1⅝c up.

Wheat was steady to ¼c lower on the first call on a light and featureless trade with little or no pressure. Later theer was buying by houses with eastern connections and the market advanced sharply. There was also some buying credited to foreign interests.

Corn trading was rather light and mixed early. Later, however, there was fair commission house buying on the cold weather over the entire belt and prices advanced.

OATS—Oats followed action in other grains.

Provisions closed firmer.

Grains opened irregularly today.

WHEAT—Started unchanged to ¼c lower with buying by a commission house with foreign connections. Offerings were scattered and the market developed more strength after the immediate start.

CORN—Started practically unchanged on a small mixed trade.

OATS—Started ¼c lower for December and strong for the later months.

PROVISIONS—Opened steady to 10c higher.

Chicago Range of Prices.

(From the Updike Grain Co., 724-25 Terminal Bldg.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 26.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Thurs.
Wheat					
May					
Old...	172¼	178½	172¼	177⅝–	172¼ 2
New..	174¼ 4	180⅝	174	180–9	174¼–
July..	149⅞–	154½	149¾	154¼–	149⅞–
Dec.					
Old...	174½	183	174	181⅜ a	174⅞
New..	176¾	186½	176¾	184¼–	176¾ 7
Corn					
May..	84¼ 4	86½	84	85⅝–	84¼ 4
July..	85⅝	87⅞	85⅝	86¾–	85⅝–
Dec..	76⅛	78¼	76⅛	78⅛	76⅝
Oats					
May..	45	46¼	45	45⅛ 6	45–
July..	45⅜	46⅞	45⅜	46⅛ b	45⅛–
Dec..	40¼	41⅞	40	41⅝	40¼
Rye					
Dec..	105b	108	105	105	102
May..	111 ½	116¼	111	115–	109⅝–
July..	108¼	.....	.....	112¼	106¼
Lard					
May..	1430	1437	1430	1435	1425
Dec..	.....	1480	1475	1475	1470

Kansas City Range of Prices.

(From Lamson Bros. & Co., 603 First National Bank Bldg.)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 26.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Thurs.
Wheat					
Dec..	167¼–	172⅝	167¼–	172⅛–	167¾
May..	167¼–	172⅝	167¼–	172⅛–	167¾
July..	.....	.....	.....	147⅛	.....
Corn					
Dec..	75¾	76½	75⅝	76¼	74¾
May..	80¼–	82¼	80¼–	81⅝–	80⅝
July..	.....	.....	.....	83⅝	.....

DAILY CARLOT RECEIPTS.

(Furnished by the Updike Grain Co.)

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 26.

CHICAGO—	Today	Yest.
Wheat	23	53
Corn	291	417
Oats	56	51
OMAHA—		
Wheat	27	26
Corn	120	56
Oats	22	12
KANSAS CITY—		
Wheat	160	85
Corn	146	114
Oats	18	12

RAILWAY TIME TABLES

•Daily. ••Daily except Sunday. xLeaves Monday and Wednesdays. xxLeave Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Leaves	Burlington	Arrives
2:00pm	Chicago Lim. via Oma.•	5:55pm
5:15am	Chicago Lim. via Oma.•	1:40am
4:40pm	Chicago Lim. via Oma.•	9:50am
8:00am	Iowa & Illinois Local••	7:35pm
6:00pm	Om. Flyer via Ashland•	8:45pm
9:30pm	Om. Flyer via Ashland•	12:30am
1:20pm	Om. Flyer via Ashland•	5:45pm
10:45am	Omaha via Ashland.•	10:30am
1:55am	Denver-Calif. Flyer.•	5:05am
6:10pm	Denver-Calif. Flyer.•	1:35pm
11:15am	Hastings-McCook Loc'l••	8:50pm
11:15am	Hast.-Kearney Local••	7:35pm
6:15pm	Hast. & Sutton Local.•	10:30am
6:30pm	Seattle via Billgs-N.P.•	1:00pm
2:05am	Seattle via Billgs-G.N.•	12:05am
11:05am	Burwell-Sargent Local.•	3:50pm
11:05am	Erok. Bow-Seneca Loc.•	3:50pm
4:10pm	Columbus - Garland.•	10:15am
8:00am	Columbus Accom..••	5:30pm
1:45pm	St. L.-St. J.-K. C. Ex.•	5:35pm
12:35am	St. L.-St. J.-K. C. Ex.•	1:30pm
10:45am	Beatrice-Wymore Loc'l•	3:55pm
3:20pm	Neb. City-Falls City L'l	10:25am
5:55pm	Beatrice Wymore Loc.••	9:50am
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Leaves	Rock Island	Arrives
1:15pm	Chicago Flyer	9:40am
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4:05pm	Kans., Okla., Texas	5:05am
5:08am	Oo. Bluffs & Omaha	8:03pm

Leaves	Union Pacific	Arrives
7:00am	Manhattan & C.••	8:10pm
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Leaves	Missouri Pacific	Arrives
10:00pm	Local Freight, Union.•	6:35am
7:16am	Kas. City & St. Louis•	5:15pm
11:00pm	Kas. City & St. Louis•	8:10am

Leaves	Northwestern	Arrives
7:30am	Fremont, Albion, Hastings, Superior, Norfolk, Winner.••	5.50p
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LINCOLN HOG MARKET.

(Lincoln Packing Co., Prices.)

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 26.

HOGS—Butcher hogs, 200 to 250 $10.50; butcher hogs, 200 to 250 lbs., $10.25@10.50; lights 150 to 200 lbs., $10.25@10.50; packing sows, $8.00@$9.00; stags, $7.00@8.00; top, $10.50.

Chicago Dairy and Produce.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 26.

BUTTER — Creamery, extra, 46¾c; extra firsts, 44½@45½c; firsts, 42½@43¼c; packing stock, 35@36c.

EGGS—Miscellaneous, 40c; ordinary firsts, 40@41c; extra, 34½@35c; checks, 25@29c; dirties, 25@30c.

CHEESE — Twins, new, 23¾@24c; daisies 24c; Longhorns, 24¼@¾c; Young Americas, 24@¾c.

Chicago Poultry.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 26.

POULTRY — Turkeys, young, 35c; chickens, 19@26c; springs, 28c; geese, 19@21c; ducks, 25@30c.

Potatoes.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 26.

POTATOES—Market closed.

Chicago Cotton.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 26.

COTTON—Cotton closed 5 to 9 points higher here. Closing prices: January, 19.09b; March 18.75b; May 18.48b; July 18.19b; October 17.59b.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

G ST., 1010—Apartment, 5 rooms, all modern, $40.00. L8026.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cards of Thanks 2

JOHNSTON—We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors, Masons and the G. A. R. for their kindness during the illness and death of our husband and father. Mrs. A. B. Johnston and Daughter, Mrs. F. R. Boynton.

MISS CARRIE A. BARSLOW — Wishes to extend her sincere thanks to her many friends for their kind remembrances on Christmas day.

Personals 7

PLEASANT HOME—For invalids and elderly people. Prices reasonable and excellent care. B4104.

Strayed, Lost, Found 10

BLACK ONYX RING—White gold with chip diamond, lost on Bethany car. M1920. Reward.

LOST—A one -skin American choker, by Mrs. H. P. Shepherd, some time between the 18th of May and the 18th of June. Can be identified by Miss Mary Kaer, at 1920 L St. Liberal reward.

LOST—A real army blanket, in University Place. M2461.

LOST—Delta Tau Delta pin, reward. 1720 Harwood. F2824.

LOST—Thursday night, between 16th and O and 11th and L, 25-year jewel of Rebecca lodge. Notify Mrs. Hayes. Call B3845. Reward.

SUITCASE—Black leather, containing Christmas presents. Phone F3047. Reward.

TRAVELING BAG—Black, containing Xmas packages, lost between 10th and P and West Lincoln. $5.00 reward. Call B6166 after 6 p. m.

WRIST WATCH—Man's, silver, Army Elgin. Reward. Phone L5572.

AUTOMOTIVE

Autmobiles for Sale 11

AUBURN ROADSTER — For sale or trade for Ford truck. 122 So. 22nd. Havelock, Neb.

CHRYSLER COUPE—Late model, Packard Single Six, Ford touring. Davis Auto Co., 1634 O St.

CLEAN UP SALE—

WE HAVE A NUMBER OF USED CARS —That are in good working order that will give someone good service for a long time. In order to reduce our stock more in numbers than investment we are offering these cars at attractive prices with desirable deferred payments from $100 up.

AUBURN TOURING.
AUBURN SEDAN.
OLDSMOBILE TOURING.
HAYNES TOURING.
FRANKLIN SEDAN.
DODGE TOURING.
BUICK TOURING.
CADILLAC TOURING.
AND OTHERS.

WE HAVE—Materially reduced the prices on these cars.

HARRY WILLIAMS CADILLAC CO.
1328 P ST.—B-6814.
OPEN SUNDAY.

DeBROWN AUTO SALES CO.—For Better Used Cars. Guaranteed. 1717 O St. B6863.

DO YOU LIKE BALLOON TIRES?—

WE HAVE

1923 CHEVROLET COUPE, Balloons.
1925 FORD TOURING, Balloons.
1920 BUICK COUPE, Balloons.
—CASH, TERMS OR TRADE.
SEE US SURE BEFORE YOU DEAL.

MIDWEST AUTO EXCHANGE.
1743 O ST.

EXCEPTIONAL REAL VALUES IN GOOD USED CARS—

1924 FORD TUDOR SEDAN, good one.
1924 FORD COUPE.
1924 GOOD MAXWELL CLUB COUPE.
1921 DORT SEDAN.
1923 MAXWELL 4-PASS. COUPE.
1920 ESSEX, PERMANENT TOP.
1923 MAXWELL COUPE.
1924 CHEVROLET TOURING.
1924 OLDSMOBILE SPORT TOURING.
1921 DODGE TOURING.
1920 BUICK TOURING.
1921 STUDEBAKER SPC. TOURING.
1920 PAIGE PHAETON.
1921 FORD TOURING.

THESE CARS—Are all in Good Mechanical condition and are priced to sell.

TERMS—To suit your convenience.

CHAL-MAX MOTORS.
B-1582—1724 O ST.
M. P. CAPLAN, Mgr.

CHRYSLER SIX—CHRYSLER FOUR

EASY PAYMENTS

NO FINANCE CHARGES.

1925 FORD COUPE, with balloons...$395
1920 FORD TOURING, starter.....$ 65
1923 FORD RDSTR., starter, dem. rims, overhauled, repainted....$175
1923 FORD COUPE, extra fine.....$250
1921 FORD COUPE, motor overhauled, new tires, refinished....$195
1923 DODGE TOURING extra good..$375
1917 FORD TOURING .....$ 25
1922 FORD TOUR., starter, new top.$ 85
1924 FORD COUPE, completely overhauled, refinished, many extras.$350
1923 FORD COUPE, 5 tires.....$225
1920 BUICK "6" ROADSTER, completely overhauled & refinished.$195
1923 FORD TOURING, overhauled, repainted, new top, 5 tires.....$165
—LARGE STOCK USED TIRES.

AUTO EXCHANGE CO.
1730 "O"—B-3003.

FORD COUPE—1925; used 5 months by private owner; excellent condition; balloons, extras $500; less for cash. 2740 Sumner. F1318.

FORD COUPE—1924, splendid condition, must sell, leaving city. B2832 or B4467 today.

HOW ABOUT A LIKE NEW TOURING CAR?—

'25 STAR TOURING, used 9 weeks; cost new, $640—Our Price.....$460
'25 OVERLAND TOUR., almost new; cost new, $625—Our Price.....$325
'25 FORD TOURING, almost new; cost new, $440—Our Price.....$225
SURE—We always have 'em for LESS.

MIDWEST AUTO EXCHANGE.
1743 O ST.

LATE MODEL—1922 Ford coupe, A-1 condition, new tires, bumpers, shock absorbers, sacrifice for $150. 602 So. 32nd. F2750.

MARKEL'S USED CAR DEPT.—

1924 OVERLAND SEDAN.
1922 BUICK 4-CYL. SEDAN.
1920 DODGE ROADSTER.
1924 CHEVROLET COUPE.
1924 FORD COUPE.
1924 DODGE TOURING.
1920 BUICK "6" TOURING.
1-TON REPUBLIC TRUCK.
1923 FORD TON TRUCK.
1922 DODGE. SCREEN BODY.

J. H. MARKEL, Inc.
13TH & Q STS.

CADILLAC—

USED CAR DEPARTMENT.

RE-NEW-ED TYPE 61 CADILLAC SEDAN—New Duco finish. Car guaranteed.

TYPE 57 CADILLAC SUBURBAN —A nice 7-passneger enclosed car for $800.00
CADILLAC TOURING—In nice mechanical condition, new tires $600.00
CADILLAC TOURING $500.00
CADILLAC PHAETON $375.00
CADILLAC 5-PASS. SEDAN.....$850.00

BUY A DEPENDABLE USED CADILLAC—From a Responsible Concern and be safe as well as satisfied. You can pay as you ride.

HARRY WILLIAMS CADILLAC CO.

AUTOMOTIVE

Autmobiles for Sale 11

LATE MODEL FORD SEDAN—Oversized cords, refinished, step plates, lock steering wheel, $295. 1918 O St.

REAL VALUES—
LIBERAL TERMS—
'24 HUPP ROADSTER.
'23 HUPP SEDAN.
'24 JEWETT BROUGHAM.
'24 DODGE TOURING.
'23 JEWETT SEDAN.

SOUTHERN NEBR. MOTOR CO.
1820 O ST.—B-1295.
HUPMOBILE—JEWETT.

USED CARS—Bought, sold and exchanged. Nebraska Auto Exchange, 1333 P St. B4795.

USED CARS AND TRUCKS—1922 Dodge touring; 1924

This Page Is Built On a Quick-Reference Basis To Serve Busy People

BUSINESS SERVICE

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DRESSMAKING—And sewing of all kinds. L3282.

HEMSTITCHING—Called for and delivered. "The Fancy Stitch," M. Floden, 1426 No. 21st. L4508.

Heating, Plumbing, Roofing 22

FURNACES—John Crowley, 2007 O St. Sheet Metal Works. B2382.

PLUMBING—Cox & Underhill. Heating Supplies. B4077. 121 No. 14th.

PLUMBING—And Heating Engineers. Newberg & Bonkstrom, 1236 M.

ROOFING—Kramme Cornice and Roofing Co. Only fireproof roofers in Lincoln. 212 So. 9th. B4413.

Insurance and Surety Bonds 23

AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE—National Co., 1048 O.

Laundering 24

LAUNDRY WORK—Wanted by responsible party; fancy work given special attention; lace curtains a specialty. B2974.

WASHING AND IRONING—Done at home. Call and deliver. Wet wash, 4c; rough dry, 8c pound. L4206.

Moving, Trucking, Storage 25

IF IT'S WORTH MOVING—It's worth moving right. Sullivan Transfer and Storage Co., B2131.

Painting, Papering, Decorating 26

PLASTERING—All kinds, stucco work, chimneys repaired, patch plastering; work positively guaranteed. L2256.

PAPERHANGING—Also painting, work positively guaranteed. Prices reasonable. We sell wall paper and paint. Stanley, B2546.

Professional Services 28

CHIROPRACTORS—Dr. Carl Wilson, 124 No. 12th, B2124.

CHIROPRACTORS—Dr. S. L. Ashworth, Palmer graduate, suite 106 Fraternity Bldg., Office B1478, Residence L4078.

DRS. CRABTREE—Chiropractic Specialists in Chronic Nervous and Female Diseases. 129 No. 14th. Phone B1207.

PRIVATE—Maternity home, babies cared for free of charge. 2954 Apple St., B4104.

Repairing and Refinishing 29

NICKEL—Plating & Enameling. 1226 Q.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 32

EARN—$25.00 weekly at home; spare time addressing cards. No canvassing or experience. No obligation. Interesting information free. Mayo, 1222 Locust, Kansas City, Mo.

GIRL—Competent; for general housework; no washing or ironing. B1622, 1620 E.

GIRL—For general office work; must have telephone experience some typing; steady work for right party. Star, Box 192.

LADIES—Earn $10 to $25 weekly addressing postal cards and stamping newspapers at home. Particulars free. Send stamped envelope. Box 97, Penrod Service, Joplin, Mo.

LADIES—Earn $25.00 weekly at home. Addressing, mailing. Free details. Send stamped envelope. Pub. 212, Griswold, Detroit, Mich.

MAID—For general housework; reference. Call F7340.

SECRETARY—To begin work January 1st, who is stenographer, bookkeeper and good penman; state qualifications and experience in detail; give age, references and telephone. Salary $125 per month, increase to $150 if services satisfactory. Star 178.

UNI OR BUSINESS COLLEGE GIRL—To help in home for board and room. F1690.

WAITRESS—Experienced, wanted; no phone calls. Little Mint Cafe.

WELL ESTABLISHED FIRM—With a product world most needs is preparing for expansion. We need a woman between 25 and 40 who has ambition, initiative and energy to work into a position of manager; should make $2,500 to $4,000 per year while preparing for promotion; applicant must be Christian (Protestant) with college education or equivalent; character and health very highest; must be interested in humanity, love people and have genuine desire to make world better; personal interview desired; confidential. Write fully, giving phone. Address Lincoln Star, Box 191.

WOMAN—Who desires lucrative position in business which will also give opportunity to render a definite character-building service; requirements—college education or equivalent; pleasing personality; good health. Christian (Protestant); unincumbered; preference given applicants with teaching experience or active in church work. Write fully, giving phone. Address Lincoln Star, Box 180.

Help Wanted—Male 33

FIREMAN—Brakeman, beginners $150, later $250 monthly (which position?). Write Railway, Lincoln Star, Box 179.

MEN—Ten wanted, 7:00 o'clock Monday morning to work on hides. Lincoln Packing Co.

ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR—Old established concerns in its field can use a few high grade salesmen and district managers permanently in Nebraska. Will consider married men between 30 and 45 years of age who have had successful sales experience or men successful in other lines; $1,000 bonds required; minimum income to right men $3,600 per year, maximum, unlimited. Give sales experience, personal history and telephone number in first letter. Reply held confidential. Write Lincoln Star Box 85.

RELIABLE MAN—In every town and city, to distribute free samples, advertising matter, etc.; no selling; experience unnecessary; outdoor work; average pay $5.00 per day. Write quickly for contract. Supervisor Columbia, 6152 No. Clark St., Chicago, Ill.

Help—Male and Female 34

TEACHERS WANTED—For second semester. The Educational Interchange, 401 Bankers Life Bldg. B1206.

TEACHERS WANTED — Davis-Stewart School Service, 138 No. 12th St., Lincoln, Nebr.

Salesmen, Canvassers, Agents 35

AGENTS WANTED—To sell the electrical sensation of the Twentieth Century, the Wonderful White Spot, only machine of its kind on the market. Cleans everything it touches, especially the things that stand off the floor. Every home a prospect. Now used in leading theatres, hotels, clubs, furniture houses and automobile industry. Excellent money-making proposition for the right type of a gent. G. K. Vacuum Brush Co., Inc., 28 W. 44th St., New York City.

ADV. SALESMAN—Unusual opportunity to connect with the recognized as fastest growing in exclusive art calendars, holiday greeting, direct mail advertising and novelty field. Exclusive territory; attractive commission contract with weekly check; real factory co-operation; splendid future; permanent connection; biggest calendar selling season of year now on. Experience in similar line desirable, but not necessary. Write at once for choice of territory. The American Oil & Paint Co., Cleveland, O.

AGENTS—Automobile necessity that works, what every motor needs; anybody can sell and make good wages. Write now. Ruttman, 5071 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif.

AGENTS—Sensational new gas governor, doubles mileage Ford cars. U. S. government, Bethlehem Steel Corp., ordered after testing. Wonderful demonstrator; $50 to $100 week profit. Sample to reliable agents. Motor Advertising Co., Box 286, LaCrosse, Wis.

AGENTS—$14.00 daily in advance. (Sworn Proof.) Start the New Year right, introducing cunning season's latest style guaranteed hosiery for men, women, children; 57 styles, 39 colors; 1925 line now ready. We deliver and collect; you can deliver—suit yourself! No capital or experience necessary. Samples furnished. Mac-O-Chee Textile Co., A-182—681 Cincinnati, O.

DIRECT FACTORY AGENT—This county; 100-store route; no selling; just distribute and collect; experience not necessary; should net salary $50.00 weekly. Address Lincoln Star, 182.

BUSINESS and office equipment usually cost less when bought from classified advertisers.

Salesmen, Canvassers, Agents 35

EARN $200 A WEEK—As District Mgr. Sell suits for $12.50 made of famous Super-Kloth. Resists sparks, snags and water. Outwears 2 ordinary suits. Sells on sight. Free equipment and biggest commissions. Dept. 28-G, Triple Wear Corp., 2014 Wabansia Ave., Chicago.

NATIONAL MANUFACTURER—Of Art Calendars, monthly mailing calendars, holiday greetings, desires permanent representative. Liberal commission with weekly advances. John Baumgarth Co., 1219 W. Washington Blvd., Chicago.

ONE CENT—Post car from you brings free solid gold Stud offer to agents. Rajah Raynbo Gem dissolves experts. Raynbo Gem, Salisbury, N. C.

SALESMAN—Side line, 12½ per cent commission, laces and jewelries. In Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Wyoming and Kansas. Fuld, 1140 Broadway, New York.

SPECIALTY SALESMAN—The "Meeker Grade" line of leather goods, art calendars, illustrated bulletin and road signs and specialties offer you an all season opportunity to make real money during 1926. A few territories now open. Heavy buying season just commencing. Write at once. Address Salesmanager The Meeker Company, Inc., Joplin, Mo.

SALESMEN—Get ready for 1926. Could you hire men and show them how to sell a high profit specialty? If so, this offer is for you. We need a few sales managers. Write at once for choice of territory. The American Oil & Paint Co., Cleveland, O.

SALESMEN—Man who can sell and organize to represent high class Florida property; greatest opportunity ever offered. W. A. Suttle, Inc., 609 N. E. 2nd Ave., Miami, Fla.

SALESMEN—Side line or full time, selling dealers all classes high grade, popular priced, trade marked line pure aluminum. Liberal commission; also weekly spiff. Write quick. American Aluminum Mfg. Co., Lemont, Ill.

SALESMEN—If you could offer your customers our hi-grade pencils with their name or add printed in gold cheaper than they could buy any other brand, don't you know you would sell every prospect? Write at once. O. K. Pencil Co., Louisville, Ky.

SALESMEN—Wanted; earn while you learn. Sell our hand-colored advertising calendars. Sample line includes free salesmanship course in ten lessons. McCleery Calendar Factory, Washington, Ia.

Situations Wanted—Female 36

DAY WORK—Wanted by day or hour, washing, ironing and cleaning. B4120.

NURSE—With over 2 years' training, desires any kind of work. Phone L2982.

WORK—Wanted of any kind; can give good references. Call L2184.

WORK—Wanted by the hour for Monday and Tuesday. Call L4220.

WANTED—Office or cashier work by woman employed at present. Star, Box 189.

WORK — Wanted by good reliable woman; can give references. Call at 1924 N St. first floor, evenings.

Situations Wanted—Male 37

YOUNG MAN — Twenty-three desires work of any kind. Typist. Phone B1878.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities 38

A GOOD PAYING BUSINESS — Near 12th and O Sts. Will exchange, cash or trade at right price. Gillette Land Co., 810 Little Bldg.

BUSINESS FOR SALE—Cheap. See R. C. Fredrick, 2326 Q St.

CAFE AND CONFECTIONERY—

Located on O St. Fully equipped with the latest machinery, including ice plant. Manufacture your own ice cream, candies and pastries; 200 seating capacity, reasonable rent, long lease. Priced to sell. Great opportunity. Also trade or terms. Star, Box 187.

CAFE—Neat and clean, extra good university location, furnished complete to serve 75 patrons. Must sell this week; cut price. B2178.

GROCERY—And Meat Market for sale. 3420 Dudley. L7682.

GROCERY STORE—For sale, doing good business; must sell on account of health. Star, Box 196.

GROCERIES—$4000 stock shoes, general merchandise, 65c on dollar. Southeast Nebraska. Box 256, Topeka, Nebr.

FOR SALE—Complete restaurant fixtures; must be sold at once. Call B6264.

FURNITURE—With lease strictly modern, nicely furnished, close-in, full of roomers. Call for appointment. B2876.

IF YOU HAVE $200—Will start you in new business; tremendous sales; should net you $100 salary weekly; experience unnecessary. Mechanical Machine Works, Baltimore, Md.

QUICK—Sale, Florida profits from East Coast property. Write Norman Hill, Box 27, Jacksonville, Fla., for details of unusual profits or money-back offer.

SAFE INVESTMENTS—To fit the particular needs of the individual. Farm mortgages 5½%, city mortgages 6% and 7%; short time corporation notes 6%; seasoned corporation shares 7%; 15 years successful business without a penny's loss to investors makes us expert financial advisors. Securities Dept. Woods Bros. Corp., 122 So. 12th St., Lincoln. B-6744.

FAIRBURY, NEBR.—

Public auction Monday, December 28th 1 p. m., all fixtures of the Gandrean Meat Market. 6'x16' storage and display cooler, 8'x10' retail cooler, 2 16-ft. refrigerator showcases, utensils, 2 hand, 2 Toledo electric computing scales, Jim Vaughn band meat saw, U. S. meat slicer, 1½-H. P. Hobart meat grinder, 4-drawer National cash register, electric operating McCaskey account system, Champion account system and safe combined, 26"x72" maple block, 32"x32" maple block, vitrolite base, 5-ton refrigerating plant, ceiling fan, floor scales, light fixtures, marble top containers, desk, chairs, saws, cleavers, etc. These fixtures were all bought new less than three years ago. Every article regardless of price will positively be sold on this date. Terms, cash. Bryson Auction Co., Agents, 129 So. 11th, Lincoln, Nebr. J. B. Bandreau, Owner. Col. D. F. Bryson, Auct.

SELL OR FURNISH—any line business. Free list; some snaps. F. V. Knisel, Peters Tr. Bldg. Omaha, Nebr.

$200 WILL START YOU—In business; Unlimited money-making possibilities. Write secretary 527 Ford Richey Bldg., Trenton, N. J.

ONE AND 2-CHAIR—Barber outfit for sale; oak finish. C. M. Artlip, 310 9th St., Aurora, Nebr.

Investments—Stocks, Bonds 39

CHOICE 6% FIRST MORTGAGE—Real Estate Loans for sale. Surety Mortgage & Trust Co., 122 No. 12th St.

6% 7-YEAR FARM LOANS—No commission. G. J. Mauel, 219 Little Bldg., Lincoln, Nebr.

Money to Loan—Mortgages 40

CITY PROPERTY—Our 15-year city loan is well worth asking about. Low commission. Quick money. Options 6 per cent. Federal Trust Co., 147 So. 11th.

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FINEST 6-ROOM APARTMENT—In the city, near capitol.

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WE HAVE SOME—Very nice rentals now to be had in the Lee Lau Fail apartments. Apply Williams-Cowan-Robertson Co., 926 Security Mutual Bldg., B4005.

FOR RENT—Three large rooms. Weber apartment, 135 North Fourteenth. $29 winter; $24 summer rate. F. D. Eager. B2141.

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BUSINESS LOCATION — North 14th street. Will lease part or all of ground floor. B6246.

FOR RENT—Desirable office rooms, single or en suite. F. D. Eager. B2141.

OFFICEBUILDING—238 So. 10th. Desirable for office or other business. B1767.

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E ST., 2206—Six-room all modern house, easily heated; good location; garage; pavement; street car. F5104.

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F ST., 1418—Six rooms, sleeping porch, large attic, garage, new furnace. L4180.

G ST., 1442—5 rooms, oak finish, fireplace, newly decorated; immediate possession

Nebraska News

CONGREGATIONAL MINISTERS MEET

Nebraska Pastors to Gather At Doane College During the Week.

(Special to The Star.)

CRETE, Neb., Dec. 26—Under the auspices of the Nebraska Congregational conference and Doane college the Congregational ministers of Nebraska will hold a retreat here, Dec. 28 to 30, for the purpose of fellowship and mental and spiritual quickening, when about 150 pastors and other church leaders will live together as one family at Doane college.

This unusual meeting of the Congregational ministers, where they will have opportunity to get better acquainted, listen to gifted leaders and discuss the problems of life, has been made possible through a generous contribution for this purpose by Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sheldon of Columbus, so that the cost has been reduced to the minimum of $3 for each one attending.

On the program are Dr. Albert W. Palmer of Oak Park, Ill., who will speak on "Hawaii, America's Interracial Laboratory," "How to Keep Friends With Japan" and "Religion and Science." Dr. Frank G. Ward, dean of the Chicago Theological Seminary, who will give several addresses on religious education; and Rev. E. G. Larson, pastor of the Sandhill United Parish with headquarters at Hyannis, will speak on "Plans and Programs for the Rural Church." Others on the program are Dr. Edwin B. Dean, president of Doane college; Rev. Harold Cooper, pastor of the Congregational church here; Prof. A. G. Heyboe, moderator of the Nebraska Congregational conference; Dr. W. A. Tyler, superintendent of the state conference; and Dr. C. G. Murphy, director of religious education.

Women Run Down By Dakota Cars

(Special to The Star.)

CROFTON, Neb., Dec. 26.—Crossing the street at night here, Mrs. A. Buschelman and her daughter, Margaret, were run down by two cars bearing Yankton county, S. D. license numbers and apparently racing through town, escaping serious injury although Mrs. Buschelman was dragged until the cars were brought to a stop. The daughter's presence of mind in clinging to the radiator of one of the cars, saved her. The occupants of the cars stopped, inquired as to the injuries of the women and went on after apologizing.

CRETE NOTES

(Special to The Star.)

CRETE, Neb., Dec. 26.—Crete celebrated very quietly. Family dinners and reunions were numerous. The post office was closed and all the clerks enjoyed a free day with their families. At night the snow covered streets were beautifully illuminated with colored lights.

The students of Doane college added impetus to the "Doane-In-Crete campaign just before they left for their homes and Christmas vacation. At a meeting held in the chapel the students, unsolicited, subscribed $8,000 for the campaign. It is felt that the campaign will now be finished successfully and the college will remain in Crete for anothre fifty years. The students expressed thier wish that Crete shall continue to be the site of the school.

Take An Escaped Convict In West

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—C. H. Schippe, 57, who authorities claim escaped from the Alabama state penitentiary December 19, 1924, was arrested late today at Los Angeles

Schippe for more than a year has been the object of a nation-wide search, police said.

He was discovered living here with a wife and daughter, it was said, and had been under surveillance for several days.

FIRE DESTROYS A SCHOOL HOUSE

Pupils In Cass County District to Have Midwinter Vacation.

WEEPING WATER, Neb., Dec. 26.—Because their one-room country school house was burned to the ground, thirty children, pupils of the Philpot country school near here will get an extended Christmas vacation, Miss Alpha Peterson, Cass county superintendent of schools, said tody. No one was injured.

Last Tuesday morning, soon after the pupils of the school had taken up their daily work, smoke began to seep through the floor and someone shouted "Fire." Five minutes later the entire one-story frame structure was a mass of flames.

Miss Pearl Stranger, teacher of the school, after she had led her class out of the building, attempted to battle the flames alone.

For more than an hour the pupils watched thier building burn before aid from Plattsmouth and Weeping Water arrived. The fire is believed to have originated in a defective flue near the furnace in the basement.

Superintendent Peterson said a new school will be erected.

Doane Committee Makes Hard Try At Raising Fund

(Special to The Star.)

CRETE, Neb., Dec. 26—Racing with time and with seventy-four thousand dollars yet to be raised on the $500,000 campaign, Doane college is making its final appeal to its friends for sufficient gifts before January 1, 1926, in order to save $150,000 of conditional gifts.

There are good prospects that $24,000 more will be raised in Crete where an energetic campaign on the part of a citizens' committee has already raised $26,000.

The Doane campaign committee faces the problem of finding $50,000 outside of Crete in four days. This campaign for a half million dollars has been under way at Doane for several years and depending on Nebraska friends and alumni scattered throughout the nation a successful close is now possible and confidently expected.

STUDENT KILLED AT DANCE BRAWL

Pryor, Okla., High School Grid Star Shot While Watching Gang Fight.

CLAREMORE, Okla., Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—One high school student is dead, two men are held in the Rogers county jail, and authorities tonight are planning other arrests, as the result of a country Christmas dance brawl near here late last night.

Oran Lee, 20, Pryor, Okla., high school football star, was shot when watching a gang fight which followed a community dance 8 miles northeast of here Friday night. He was wounded when an unidentified man started shooting.

Lee was taken to Pryor, Okla., hospital, where he died early tonight from loss of blood.

Henry Davis, 28, and Roy Washer, about 32, farmers northeast of here, were taken into custody today.

Road Conditions

The following report on highways in this vicinity was given out Saturday afternoon by the Lincoln Auto club:

Dirt roads are good. Gravel roads fine. Only one detour in the vicinity of Lincoln, and that is seven miles east of Lincoln on East O No. 11, which is in good condition.

D-L-D No. 7, to Omaha; main road is being used now the entire distance and is in good condition. No. 7, through Iowa, fair to good, still somewhat rough and choppy.

D-L-D No. 7 and Harding highway west to Denver, good.

Harding highway to Nebraska City; one detour between Lincoln and Eagle, balance of the road very good. K. T. No. 5 to Kansas City: Graveled from Union south to the state line. Rough through Kansas.

C. H. No. 9 south to Beatrice: Graveled and good. Good to Manhattan.

L-C-D No. 9 and 9 A to Crete: Fine, graveled from Crete to Dorchester, and from Crete to Wilber.

C. H. No. 9 north: Graveled except one mile just south of Ceresco. This mile is rough, balance of the road is good.

S-Y-A No. 11: Use D-L-D cut off to Seward. Graveled to Bradshaw. Good to Grand Island. Graveled on the Lincoln highway No. 6 to Brady Island and good to North Platte.

Meridian No. 4: Good through Nebraska. Fair to good through Kansas.

Blue Pole No. 8: Fair to good to Valentine, graveled in places.

Potash highway good from Grand Island to Thedford.

College View, Bennett, Sterling, and Tecumseh, fair to good.

Golden Rod No. 3. Good through Nebraska.

To California, the route via El Paso.

Saxophone, Jazz Score a Triumph At Chicago Opera

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—The saxophone has taken its place in grand opera.

W. Franks Harding, youthful American artist, dared tradition and introduced the saxophone and jazz at the Chicago civic opera here this afternoon. The setting was "A light from St. Agnes," a new opera in English.

And if enthusiastic kisses of bejeweled and befurred women, thumps on the back, hearty handshakes and cheers from the gallery gods is any criterion of success, then the saxophone—the "black sheep of musical instruments—scored a triumph that would do credit to the farewell concert of a Caruso.

Automobile News

MOTORS AND THEIR CARE



Fan Belt Adjustment.

Use of oil on a squeaky fan belt will cause deterioration and make it slip. Try adjusting to take up slack; or, if of the flat type, reverse it, using the side which may have a better surface. Spin the fan with belt off to see if bearings are free and keep them well lubricated.

Investigate Unusual Noises.

When an unusual noise is heard in the engine or any other part of the car investigate it at once for if neglected it may cause considerable damage. Ninety per cent of road trouble can be prevented by attention to little things that usually give a warning squeak, knock or rattle.

Protection to Ignition System.

Wet ignition systems and short circuits are the principal reasons why cars fail to start during rainy weather. Protect against delay, inconvenience and expense by covering the coil, distributor and battery to keep them dry. Sections of an old inner tube make good insulations and are inexpensive.

Injurious to Race Idle Engine.

Never open the throttle suddenly or leave it open very far when the car is standing and the engine racing running idle. This is known as racing the engine and is very injurious especially when the engine is cold. More engines have been ruined by racing while idle than have been worn out in actual driving under a load.

Engine Lore.

When searching for engine trouble always try to figure out the probable cause for the trouble before attempting to adjust some part that does not need adjusting. Never make a change in an adjustment without knowing why the change is being made, the effect it will have and how to restore the mechanism to its original adjustment.

To Locate Leak in Gasket.

A very common cause of missing at low engine speeds is a leak in the gasket connecting the intake pipe. To locate the leak, allow the engine to run at the missing speed and squirt gasoline around the intake pipe joints. If any difference whatsoever is detected in the running of the engine a leak in the gasekt has been located. It must then be replaced.

Anti-Freeze Solutions.

Never use an anti-freeze solution that contains calcium chloride or any similar compound; these ccrrode the inside of the radiator. A very satisfactory anti-freeze solution is one of alcohol and water—denatured alcohol preferred—though wood alcohol is satisfactory. Before adding the solution the water circulation system should be drained thoroughly and flushed and any leaks repaired.

Winter Lriving.

The first rule of driving safely in cold weather is keeping warm. It is not wise to attempt to make great mileage on a cold day without sufficient stopovers for hot drinks and food, because it requires more energy to fight the elements in winter and drivers cannot afford to feel that because they are stimulated by the snappy air they can endure more strenuous driving. Warning devices are the best preventive against wintertime accidents. They should include suitable clothing and particularly warm gloves.

Time to Pass Ahead.

Comfort in driving is largely a matter of knowing where and when to expend energy. Some drivers take precautions which are quite unnecessary, while others get into trouble by not taking the right precautions at the right time. When about to overtake another car, it is important to glance into the rear-vew mirror to see whether anyone behind is trying to pass. If several cars have passed from the opposit edirection, however, it is obvious under these conditions no one could be swinging over to the opposite side of the road in an effort to pass.

Skidding is more liable to take place when tires are badly inflated than when they are kept properly in order.

When hunting for oil leaks clean the engine thoroughly and watch for the oil to appear while the engine is running.

Keeping the engine tuned up so that it starts on the second or third turn minimizes the amount of current that is taken from the battery in starting.

The average life of an inner tube is from 12 to 18 months. Once it begins to harden, it is advisable to replace it with a new tube. It is false economy to use an old tube in a new tire.

It is possible to set fire to a car with the ignition switch. If the switch is turned on directly after being turned off and before the engine comes to a dead stop, a backfire is likely to occur.

An active grease cup is one that is frequently filled with fresh grease. If this is overlooked the passages become caked and hardened, preventing the passage of fresh grease to the surface needing it.

Local Salesman Wins In Contest



A. L. BURKE.

A. L. Burke, salesman for the Chal-Max Motors Co. of Lincoln, local distributors of Chrysler automobiles, who has been awarded the first prize in a selling contest in which 1,700 salesmen were entered. The territory embraced in the contest comprises six states in the Missouri-Mississippi valley.

Mr. Burke received a letter from Mr. Fields of the Chrysler organization complimenting him on his excellent showing and as a reward for his service he received an engraved watch.

The Lincoln distributors consider the honor won by Mr. Burke especially notable since the Chrysler has been one of the leaders in sales in the territory included in the contest, and because there are a number of other cities larger than Lincoln in the district.

COUNTY TREASURY BALANCE GROWING

Personal Tax Collections Piling Up; Total On Hand Now $755,433.

With personal tax collections piling up once more in the office of the county treasurer, Lancaster's balance sheet shows a growing sum on hand in the seventy odd funds.

According to the December 1 report just issued, a total of $755,433 is on hand, as compared with $638,532 for last month. Among the items listed are $191,493 for the general fund instead of $192,690 as of last month; $36,347 for the state capitol fund, instead of $12,372 as of last month; and $278,886 for the district school fund, instead of $161,073 as of last month. Overdrafts during the month total, $23,331, principally on the county bridge, county road dragging and county state highway funds.

A year ago at this time, the total balance was $735,299, or slightly below that of the current year. The state capitol fund at that time was $22,078; county general, $194,888; and school district, $219,145.

Total tax collections during November were $378,307, as compared with $324,890 during the same period last year. In October, 1925, the collections were $156,032, as against the $197,150 collected in 1924.

Troops Housed In Shacks, Declares War Secretary

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—A new shot in the war department's fight to secure suitable living quarters for the army was fired today by Secretary of War Davis in an appeal to congress for legislation.

"Forty thousand American soldiers are living in shacks. Married officers with children are being lodged in houses which would be condemned in any progressive American municipality," he said, in a statement released at the war department.

Davis asserted that the cost of the building program already approved by President Coolidge would be practically met by the sale of surplus real estate now owned by the department.

"The situation has become so bad that altogether apart from the unnecessary discomfort and hardship imposed upon the troops, the maintenance of this system of structures has become an extravagance. All the money the war department can spare is not sufficient to preserve these old buildings from further continuous deterioration. We are throwing good money after bad."

HINES IGNORES COL. MITCHELL

Chief Of Staff Fails To Mention Air Crusader In Report.

Points To Important Improvements In Other Than Air Branch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The terrific army upheaval over aviation caused by Col. William Mitchell failed to receive any mention in the annual report of Maj. Gen. John L. Hines, chief of staff, made public tonight.

In the two brief sentences devoted to the army air service, Hines inferentially upheld as equally important with the air arm the improvements in other branches of the service.

"As to the air service, it is a matter of common knowledge that unlimited numbers of the types of aircraft of 1914 would be hopelessly outclassed by a mere handful of the latest types. It has not fully appreciated that improvements in other lines have been, if less spectacular, equally important," he said.

Broad recommendations for drastic conscription law for use in war times, a badly needed army housing program and funds for development of anti-aircraft weapons featured the report.

"It is incomprehensible that this country will depend upon voluntary enlistments for its future armed defense," he said. "At the same time lack of legislation for selective service may result in delay in action on the outbreak of war, thus seriously injuring national defense."

Favors Joint Maneuvers.

Hines urged continuation of joint army and navy maneuvers such as those held at Hawaii last summer, asserting that all leading countries recognize that nothing can equal extensive field maneuvers in training troops.

The most important progress of the year was probably the development of new types of arms and ammunitions by the ordnance department, particularly a new .50 calibre anti-aircraft gun.

"It has an increase in range over previous equipment of 100 per cent; an increase in striking energy of about 500 per cent; an increase in visibility range of tracer ammunition of about 100 per cent and an increase in ability to pierce armor of about 100 per cent. These advantages have been adopted without appreciably decreasing the rate of fire."

A DENIAL ISSUED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Department of justice officials denied again tonight persistent reports that alleged klan connections of Capt. Charles Goff, former prohibition director for northern California, had been investigated and a formal report transmitted to the Washington office. "I know nothing whatever about the story," said Mrs. Mabel W. Willebrandt, assistant attorney general in charge of prohibition enforcement, who indicated the reports probably originated in San Francisco.

MAY FREE THOUSANDS

SOFIA, Dec. 26.—(U. P.)—The government expects soon to submit to parliament a bill pardoning all political offenders except murderers. The measure, deemed certain of passage, will effort about 8,000 exiles and 20,000 prisoners, including several former members of the Stambulinsky cabinet.

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New Barriers Thrown Up in Last Few Weeks to Combat Wiles of Modern Convicts at Nebraska Penitentiary



STEEL GUARD HOUSE IN THE OLD PRISON CHAPEL
PHOTO BY MCDONALD



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FRANK BIGLER, MOUNTED GUARD, ON PATROL DUTY



NEW TOWER, LIGHTS AND HEIGHTENED WALL ABOVE THE EAST GATE
PHOTO BY MACDONALD

BY M. J. WING.

For forty-eight years the grim, grey fortress south of Lincoln, Nebraska's state penitentiary, has stood practically without change in equipment for guarding the hundreds of convicts imprisoned there.

The old type of criminal passed, "modern" and "super" crooks developed, and their means of fighting men and penetrating stone or steel walls improved a dozen times. Yet, until this year, the same old watch towers, rough 20-foot walls and massive steel-barred doors were the only safeguards between the men inside and the world at large.

Now within a month or two, a few weeks in fact, changes have been instituted that result almost in a reorganization of the whole guard system and raised barriers that Warden William T. Fenton believes are nearly impregnable.

But not entirely so. In dealing with a collection of men whom the courts of the state have condemned as the most vicious element of society, even the careful warden can make no decision that his crafty charges are not planning, scheming, always vigilant for an opening to freedom.

The improvements made, Warden Fenton points out, are in line with the "tightening up" evident in prisons all over the country this year. Just as the outside world is subject to currents of emotion which sway it in unison from time to time, so are the dwellers of the world behind the bars subject to similar waves of feeling. Throughout the United States there seems to have been unrest and bad feeling for the past year. And throughout the country, wardens have been closing down on privileges and keeping closer watch on the prisoners, in an effort to combat any spirit of rebellion that shows itself anew.

At Lancaster, as the little community south of town calls itself, this spirit has been evidenced by a couple of unsuccessful attempts at outbreaks within this past year, and two successful trials at "running the wall."

"Making it over the wall," in prison parlance, has been a cherished ambition of many a long-term man in the past, but from now on his dreams of stealthy flight may not be so rosy. Time was when he could hide in the shop, drag out a ladder at night, jerk the wires that fed the glow lamps, and disappear in a rain storm—if he was lucky.

But a man without untold confidence in his luck would hardly even attempt it these days.

First, the wall is four feet higher. All ladders used in the past have been almost too short for the 20-foot climb, and the additional four feet probably will make the attempt nearly impossible. Nor is this addition made of rough stone on which an agile man might find finger hold. It is of smooth brick.

Soon after Roy Smith, Joe Dunn and Fred Brown made their fruitless battle for liberty last September, the warden began his plans for strengthening the wall. Seventy thousand bricks were laid, mostly by the prisoners. It must have seemed to them as they built up these defenses against themselves, as it does to a man who gradually paints himself into a small pocket in the center of a large floor.

Not only is this little brick structure a barrier to the man below it is a protection to the man above.

The wide stone walls, erected at a time when stone and labor were cheap and it was easier to build thick walls than not, provided ample space for the wall guard's pathway, outside of the brick barrier. Every few feet there are loop holes through the brick, so the guards would not even need to expose themselves at all if trouble broke out in the yard below. Like the holders of an ancient strong house, who poured down melted lead on their antagonists, they could rest in security and pour down a rain of bullets.

Guards Protected.

To make the guard's position still more sure, a double-bar steel railing is being erected at the rear of the brick wall. Thus a man can walk between the brick and the steel with no danger whatsoever, even in the most severe weather, of falling off. Nor will he be likely to drop his gun inside and place the most dangerous of all weapons in the hands of the men against whom it was supposed to be used. This has actually happened, but the prisoner who picked up the gun was a "good" one by chance, and no trouble resulted.

The gun which this particular guard dropped was his only weapon. He was helpless without it—at the mercy of the man who picked it up. Now, together with the new mechanical aids to his job, the guard also is supplied with more and better weapons than formerly.

The sawed off shot gun or "riot gun" as it is often called, was once his only firearm. Lately, every one of the seven guards stationed on the walls has been carrying a .44 caliber revolver and a neat little rifle, as well as the old sawed off gun.

"These revolvers are big enough to blow a man out of the ground with," asserts the warden, and a glance at the ugly looking ammunition used seems almost to confirm his statement. It was with an arm of approximately the same size that Clarence Morse, veteran prison employe, was killed during the last outbreakk.

The 30-30 Winchester carbine is one of the neatest weapons that ever a hunter laid eyes on. It is built to shoot a mile, as straight as an army rifle. Yet it weighs but a few pounds and is nearly as handy as a .22 repeater. The prisoner "making a break for it" would have to run far and fast to escape the shots that might be fired from one of them.

The guards must also lug 75 rounds of ammunition for each of his guns. Part of this is in a box tied to him by a leather strap, and part is in a bullet belt. A string or two of bullets across his chest, indeed, and the penitentiary warder would look like a member of a Mexican border brigade.

Old Turrets to Go.

Still another asset to the guard's peace of mind, and to the prisoner's certainty of mind that someone is watching him constantly, is the new watch tower system, one unit of which has already been constructed.

Lincoln people will soon see the last of the old stone turrets that have graced the walls of Lancaster for half a century. They are imposing but not very effective, and modern practice says they must go.

They will be torn down to within about a foot of the main wall, every one of them, and then capped with a little roof of wood and glass. Not spectacular, surely, and not so much in keeping with the dour exterior aspect of the prison, but far more effective.

Sheltered in one of these little glass cages, protected fom the weather and partially protected from possible assailants below, the guard can see all and know all. In the old towers now standing, he has but a narrow medieval slit through which to look at the yard below, and another one through which he may view the top of the wall. Much of the langscape is out of his sight entirely.

The little house above the east gate is a sample of what all will be soon. It takes the place of an old wooden affair that was not even ornamental. The guard in that particular house has the keys to the gate. If a stranger wants to enter, he must telephone the main office. If his request is approved, an office attendant phones the guard who, like the warder of a castle gate, lets down his keys on a string to the gateman below. The door is then unlocked, while a guard outside stands watching with a riot gun ready in his hands.

This big gate, seemingly such an inviting point for departure, has never been stormed and not been run for twenty years.

On that occasion, Warden Fenton recalls, a colored man decided he would depart. As a protection against gunfire, he armored himself with stovepipe, waited until the gate was opened for a wagon, then made a break for it. But he had miscalculated. Old Jack Jenkins, a veteran on the wall, used a favorite revolver instead of the shotgun. The negro dropped dead as he entered a corn field.

"Better send a cart around for the dead man who tried to run the gate," advised Jack Jenkins by telephone.

Has a Horse.

The watchmen outside are a recent innovation. There are two of them all day, and one at night.

The day men have little houses built on the ground outside. The one on the east stays inside his house usually, except when the great gate is opened.

Frank Bigler, a veteran of the Smith-Brown outbreak, is stationed at the west end. He not only has a guard house, but a horse.

Until the past few days, Bigler has ridden the horse continuously up and down, back and forth, watching the outside walls for the man who may never ever try to "make it over." Recently, however he has contented himself with having his horse ready at hand while he stays at one corner so he can view both south and west walls. He too is armed with a revolver, riot gun and carbine. If a man should get past the wall guards and start across country, Bigler would be the first to start in chase. Broken country near the penitentiary offers exellent cover to a man afoot when opposed to pursuers in autobiles, but this expedient neutralizes that advantage.

Four more men are stationed in little guard houses on the ground inside the walls. They are armed only with policemen's billies. Their position is dangerous, but might be even more so if they were allowed firearms. In some prisons, Warden Fenton explains, it is the custom to give inside men firearms, but here it is considered too dangerous. They could be overpowered and swept off their feet too easily.

No More Wire Pulling.

At night, a man paces in front of the prison. Most of the inmates are locked up then, and he watches the cell house windows for any such attempt as the late Walter Simmons et al. made, and keeps an eye on too inquisitive strangers.

Jerking wires, a favorite pastime of would be free men in the past, is likely to prove a lost art now. The lights on the walls have been increased three-fold, and a special row of lights has been set up on poles south of the furniture shops. The wires are entirely out of reach, and form a double circuit. Even an act of providence would not be likely to dim all the globes on the wall.

The penitentiary is indeed a fortress, but with defenses turned against the men inside. Bulwarks of the main exit, where two sets of desperadoes during the last twelve years made their bid for liberty, have been doubly strengthened.

First, in the old chapel, a steel turret has been set up for a watchman who sits with gun on knees all day. He is locked in and enclosed by steel plates, top, bottom and sides. Dan Flannigan is he who holds that post in the illustration above. He commands views of six or seven doors and could use loopholes in the thick steel to blaze away at any of them.

The door to the turnkey's room and the window through which Clarence Morse was shot are now protected by 3-8 inch steel. Off of the turnkey's room is the arsenal. Fourteen rifles and shotguns, and a shelf full of revolvers are kept there, each with its bag of ammunition attached. The door to that room has been covered with steel so that in event of siege, the turnkeys would retire to it and carry on effective battle.

The Outer Defense.

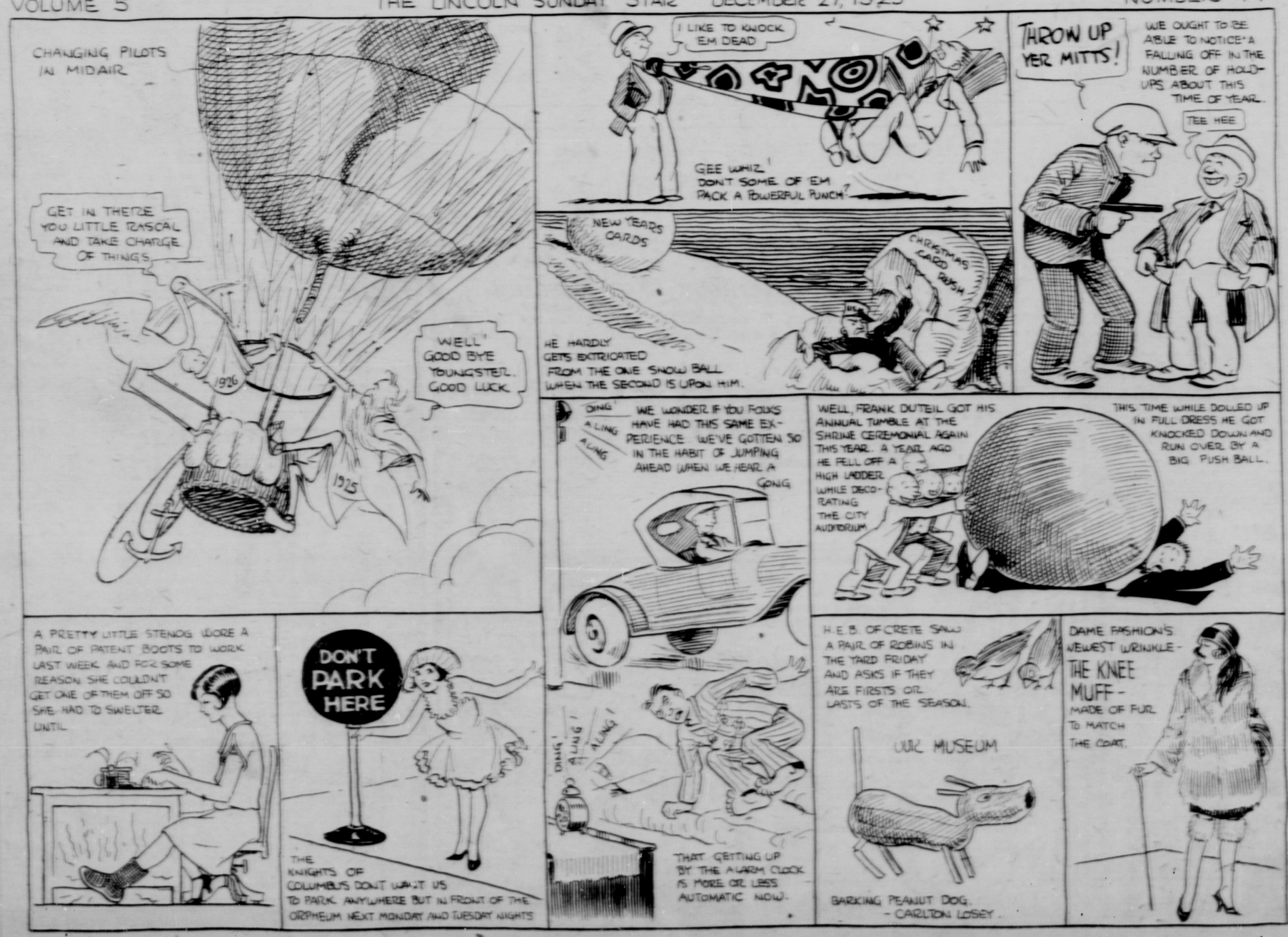
Finally, the door to the outside—last of the four through which a convict would have to make his way, is covered with steel. It stands open most of the time, but on occasion can be closed by means of a long steel rod. Then the guard behind it would throw home a steel brace, whip out his gun and start plugging.

"Had that been in place when Smith and Brown started shooting," said the warden, "I could have told the turnkey to give them the keys. They would have been dead before they got inside the room."

The final defense against youngmen-going-somewhere in the warden's own private locker where he keeps a few well-beloved guns. An automatic shotgun, pump gun, old fashioned Winchester, two baby automatics, and a few other choice weapons are included.

Forty guards instead of thirty; sheet steel doors instead of barred ones; higher walls; brighter lights; mounted gunmen, watchful clubsmen—these are the forces which now hold 650 convicts at bay in the structures designed for 490.





Quiet Life in Lincoln Ambition of War Vet Who Finally Got Big Compensation

Perry L. Desch, Lincoln World war veteran who is cheerfully paying his debt to America by going through life as a cripple in a gradually weakening condition, has gone to David City for a week or two of real, untroubled rest.

It is the first period of peace he has enjoyed in three or four years because now he has money in his pocket and has certainty that more will be sent regularly to replace it. His Christmas present came a little early in the season—while he was still lying in the government hospital at Leavenworth—but it will last him through every Christmas as long as he lives. It consists of about $10,000 in back compensation and back insurance payments, besides the word that $157.50 will be paid him regularly each month.

The friend whom Desch is visiting at David City is Mrs. E. J. Welte. She herself is almost a "veteran," for six of her seven sons saw service in the war. The seventh one attempted to enlist but was refused. Pity born of her own sacrifices induced her to write to wounded men since the war. One of her letter acquaintances received compensation unexpectedly, just a Desch has done, and "flew the coop." She has never heard of him since.

"But say," exclaimed Desch as he told that story after arriving in Lincoln this week. "I don't treat my friends like that. When I get one I keep her. Mrs. Welte even wanted me to live at her house a year ago."

In Chemical War Service.

As generous with his life as he would like to be with his money, Desch was one of those who first enlisted during the war. He and twelve other Lincoln men took service, and went to the east coast. Desch was employed there in the chemical warfare department and assisted in making deadly gas which was to have been turned loose against his country's enemies.

Just six months of this work and Desch felt the first effects of the trouble that has ever since beset him. Creeping paralysis. That common name for the disease indicates its nature. Doctors have been unable to find a cure for it, or to delay its progress. It may hold off for years, or it may work more swiftly, debilitating the muscles until total paralysis sets in. Desch will never again be well.

Compensation was paid him at first and he received $1,500 in a lump sum. He returned to Lincoln, mixed with old friends and helped them as readily as he had helped his country. The money was soon gone and payments, for some unknown reason, stopped. The last of the lump sum disappeared when a South Dakota bank failed and took several hundred dollars of his money down with it.

Desch went to the hospitals, seemingly for life. For several month he was at Levenworth sanitarium. Then came the word of his good fortune. He wrote for $10 carfare, and arrived in Lincoln on the next train, last Wednesday.

"Hospitals, don't talk to me about hospitals," was his initial warning in a conversation begun with an acquaintance here. "I've had enough of them forever. Don't even say 'nurse' or 'doctor' to me. I'm going to take it easy for a while."

To Lead Quiet Life.

"Yes," agreed James W. Kinsinger. Desch's guardian, "that's just what heis going to do. Then some day we can take him to other specialists in Lincoln and see what they can do for him."

Kinsinger was brought into the matter when a move was made to recover the money from the South Dakota bank. He was able to get a certificate from the guarantee fund commission of tha tstate, but the paper now seems to be worthless. Then as a Legion man and a friend, he took up the matter of getting back compensation and back insurance, together with veterans bureau officials at Omaha. A threat to sue finally brought action and the controversy was closed within a short time. About half of the back payments have been made over to Mr. Kinsinger already and he expects to receive the rest shortly.

But Desch objected to seeing any more doctors or specialists.

"I won't have any more money wasted on them," he aserted. "I've been to the best ones in Cincinnati and if they can't do anything for me, nobody can."

Life in a hospital is not all it's cracked up to be, says the veteran. After spending most of five years in them, he has acuired no great attachment for them. In the government institutions, he finds, the doctors and nurses are often so rushed that they do not have enough time to give sympathy to their wards. And a hospital is no place to live without sympathy.

No frenzy of money spending is included in Desch's plans for the future. He couldn't if he wanted to, for Mr. Kinsinger holds the check book. Probably he will take a moderate allowance each month, settle down to rest and enjoy himself.

He may live in a hotel, at a private rooming house or with friends. All he needs is a place to sleep some clothes, food and a moving picture show ticket now and then, he says. He thinks he will be contented.



—Photo by MacDonald.

Perry L. Desh, World war veteran who has returned to Lincoln, his former home, to spend the rest of his days, so far as he knows now. His five years of hospital life have come to a close now that his application for about $10,000 back compensation and war risk insurance as well as a future income of $157.50 has been granted.

Being Woman Deputy Sheriff Not Wildly Exciting, Claims Anna Olson of Cedar County

Funny thing about women and their inconsistency — for instance down in Texas is "Ma" Ferguson just opening the doors of the penitentiary and giving all the inmates the air, so to speak, and here in Nebraska is Anna Olson trying her hardest to fill all the vacancies in the Cedar county jail.

"Just like the women," some male of the species will say, and no doubt make a mental note of this to add to his category of reasons why all women should be wiped off the earth, the next time he is forced to halt behind a woman driver.

Beside the fact that one puts them in and the other lets them out, there is another difference between "Ma" and Miss Olson. "Ma" is governor of a vast state and Miss Olson is deputy sheriff of Cedar county in Nebraska.

It sounds exciting, doesn't it, the idea of a woman being deputy sheriff, wearing a badge and everything, and one has visions of bootlegger raids and all sorts of interesting experiences.

Not Given to Raiding.

"It would be interesting to dress like a man as I have been said to do, and go out on a raid, and I wouldn't in the least mind doing it, only I never yet have had the opportunity. Just to prove that the job isn't as intriguing as it sounds, I'll tell you that I have never even used a gun but once since I have been in office and that once was when the sheriff had taken all of the shells out. It was used to persuade an insane woman to get into a car. I was taking her to the state institution at Norfolk and she refused to go. The unloaded revolver answered the purpose. I did not drive the car, however, I do not even know how to do that."

Miss Olson is 55 years old. How she happened to have the title of deputy sheriff thrust upon her is rather a long story.

In the early seventies, Miss Olson with her parents, two brothers and a sister came to Nebraska and lived in a dugout on a homestead in Knox county. After living there a few years, the family moved to Green Island, a little village in the northern part of Cedar county, where Mr. Olson had a blacksmith shop. Green Island was swept away by the flood of '81, and was never rebuilt. When Anna Olson was six years of age her mother died, and her father died the following year. The children were separated and cared for by various families in the community.

"I attended high school at Hartington," said Miss Olson, "but I did not finish. I took a business course at Highland Park college, Des Moines, and after that I taught a country school for two years. For the next nine years I worked in banks. I worked in the First National bank of Hartington, the Pioneer National bank of Ritzville, Wash., and the First National bank of Lind, Wash. I was book keeper in the first two banks, and book keeper and assistant cashier of the bank at Lind. I spent four years and a half with the Wood Live Stock Co., at Spencer, Ida., doing office work.

Spent Years in West.

After that I had charge of the books at the Hot Lake sanatarium in Hot Lake, Ore., for two years, and spent five years more in Seattle doing office work, one year of that time I was public accountant.

"I was out west nineteen years and came back to Cedar county to visit expecting to remain but five or six months, but happened to go to work here and have just stayed on, but I expect to return to the west sometime in the future.

"Upon my return to Hartington I was employed in the office of the county judge for nearly a year. I resigned my position there to return west. I had made all preparation to go when the sheriff, wanted to know if I would be his deputy.

Now, I'll tell you why I was offered that position—simply because I happen to be a book keeper and Mr. Clarence was not familiar with clerical work and found the keeping of records a task. I was made deputy so it would be easier to carry on the work of the office.

"In the absence of the sheriff or when he is very busy I could serve papers. I have served ever so many summons and lately have taken care of most of the sheriff's sales on real estate. I have attached and levied on property and made a number of arrests, but there is nothing in any of that that is the least bit difficult nor dangerous. Arresting a man may sound big, but when that man has just had a little scrap with his neighbor, or has given a bad check, he is not at all hard to handle.

"There is nothing particularly interesting about my career, I am not even 'fair, fat and forty.' I am 5 feet 2 inches tall, and I weigh 145 pounds—and fifty-five years of age.

Miss Olson was born in Galesburg, Ill. Her parents and two brothers were born in Sweden and her sister in Nebraska.



Miss Anna L. Olson of Hartington, Neb., who is the deputy sheriff of Cedar county.

University Notes

Dr. Edgar L. Hewett, director of the School of American Research, will give the annual address for Sigma Xi and Phi Beta Kappa, honorary fraternities, at the University of Nebraska on Friday, January 8. Dr. Hewett is in charge of the museums of Santa Fe and San Domingo, and has built up notable exhibits. He has conducted explorations in Mexico and Guatemala, and supervised extensive explorations in the southwestern area of the United States. His work in the latter field will be the subject of his lecture at the university. The address will be illustrated with lantern slides and will show the nature of the prehistoric cliff-dwellers and Pueblo cultures of the great arid region of New Mexico, Arizona, and Utah, where new discoveries are being made every year. The lecture will be open to the public.

Prof. H. J. Kesner, chairman of the university engineering inspection trip committee, has announced that a "long trip" will be arranged for the week of April 3 to 10, 1926, to the Chicago district. It has been the custom for the engineering students to take a long trip every second year, alternating with a short trip in the intervening year. Participation in at least one of these trips and a written report upon the same is required of each candidate for graduation from the College of Engineering. The trips are made under faculty supervision and are usually taken in either the student's junior or senior year. The total expense of the Chicago trip for each man will be about $90. The committee in charge of arrangements is composed of Prof. H. J. Kesner, Prof. F. W. Norris, C. A. Sjogren, J. Smay, and H. L. Wallace.

The first number of "Zeitschrift fur Ortsnamenforschungen," a new publication edited by Joseph Schnetz, of Munich, Germany, contains two pages devoted to a discusston of Nebraska place-names, as treated by Lillian Fitzpatrick in her study entitled "Nebraska Place Names," which was published in the University of Nebraska Studies. The editor refers with special interest to coined names, personal names, and Indian names in Nebraska.

A second edition of "Mechem Cases on Agency" prepared by Dean Warren A. Seavey of the law school, was published this year by Callaghan and Company, Chicago. In a statement concerning his conception of a satisfactory case book, Dean Seavey writes: "The value of a case book lies in its power to arouse the interest of the seudent and to cause him to use his critical and analytical faculties in acquiring a knowledge of the subject. The section of the case, not their arrangement, nor the notes, is of greatest importance. They should have a maximum of human interest; they should include the great landmark cases, but enough recent ones so that the student may become familiar with modern methods of approach and with modern situations, and not be led to believe that he is studying only legal history. As a whole the book must be conceived as a teaching tool and as an opportunity to display learning. The test lies only in its use."

Robert F. Craig, announcer for the university radio studio, is in charge of plans for the observance of Charter day, Monday, February 15, and is now arranging a program of music and addresses by prominent faculty members, which will last from 8:05 p. m. until 2 a. m. The program will be broadcast over both KFAB at Lincoln and KFKX at Hastings. Alumni in all parts of the country are expected to hear the program.

A choice specimen of closed and recumbent narrow quartz vein occuring in gneiss has been sent to the University museum by the Colorado Museum of Natural History.

A special article on "Efficiency in Concrete Road Construction" by J. L. Harrison, '08, highway engineer, was recently published in Public Roads, an official maganize of the United States department of agriculture. It was based on studies of going projects made by the division of control of the bureau of roads. The article states there are a few concrete paving projects on which the daily output could not be increased 25 per cent, and many jobs on which it could be increased to 100 per cent. Arbitrary inference by inspectors and abuse of discretionary clauses in specifications were the cause of considerable loss to the contractor on more than half of the jobs studied by the bureau.

Requests for copies of "Nebraska Beautiful," a buNetin prepared by Dr. G. A. Condra, director of the conservation and survey division, have been received during the past few weeks from the Science museum of London, sveral famous libraries in France, Canada, China, and other foreign countries, and college and city libraries in all parts of the United States.

A large group of students and alumni interested in student dramatic performances are planning to attend the entertainment December 28, at Omaha Technical high school, by the men's Triangle club of Princeton university.

A booklet entitled "Pupil's Workbook in Geography of Nebraska," by Prof N. A. Bengston has been published by Ginn & Company. It contains problems and exercises on Nebraska geography and information concerning products, population, and natural resources of Nebraska. In the introduction, Professor Bengston states: "The present trend in geography teaching is toward presenting fewer facts a ssuch, and more relationships. Geographical environment needs to be studied in the light of its effect upon human life and activities. noted for its rich soil, its splendid You are living in a state that is climate, and its prosperous and intelligent people. It is a state of varied resources, occupations, and scenery. To study carefully our home state is sure to be interesting if we rty to see how our people respond in their occupations and modes of living, to their geographic environment."

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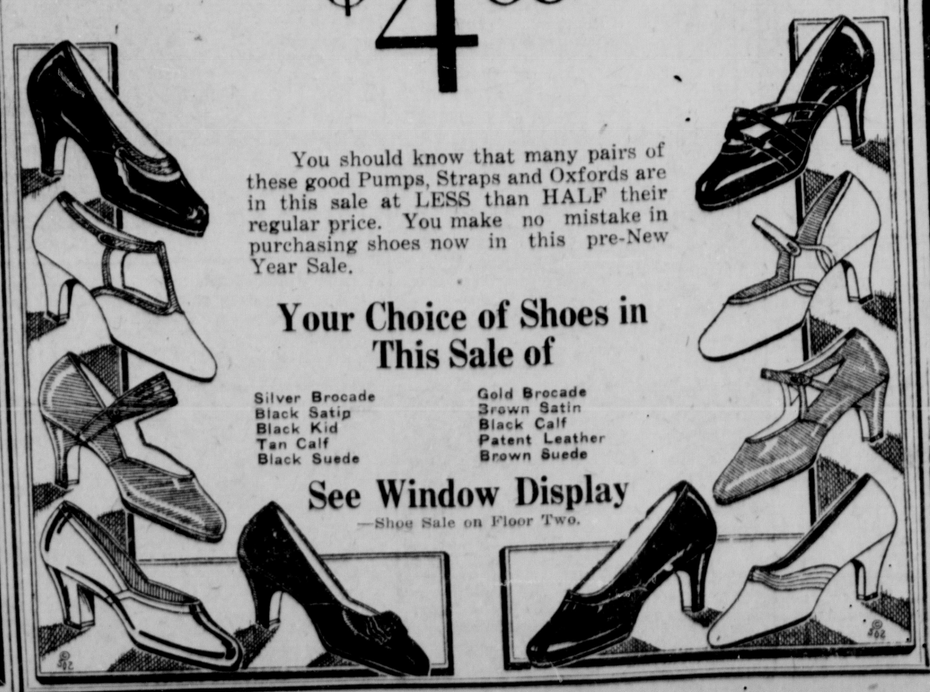
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Minerva's Mail

TAKE YOUR TROUBLES TO MINERVA

How can Mother Remain a Good Pal and Yet Wield the Iron Rod of Discipline?—How Keep a Close Watch On Daughter Yet Not Appear To Do Police Duty?—The Problems of the Conscientious Parent are Complicated These Days — If Girls Would Boycott the Boys Who Are "Just Animals" the Standard of Boyhood Morality Would Quickly Rise.

What To Be.

The problem of the conscientious mothers, are very complicated these days, much more so than those of the parents who are so busy with clubs and selfish interests that they don't have much time for their Annettes and Williams.

Chaperones are no longer in style. But petting parties are. They used to call them joy rides. We hear much too, though still furtively in the middle west, of the hip flask and the bootlegger who plies his trade among the school boys and girls. We hear a lot too of freedom and this word is interpreted in many different ways.

And what are these mothers going to do who are interested, intelligent, reasonable and anxious concerning their children? How are they going to continue as a good influence, be good pals and still wield the necessary wand of discipline? This isn't just an individual problem... It is universal. It is a situation distressing many parents and I wish they would rally to the call of the mother in the following letter and tell us how they met and solved it.

Dear Minerva:—I wish you, who deal in thoughtful advice and have an active and energetic group of readers, would print my letter and see if, between us all, we can cast some light on a very perplexing problem. We mothers have been very much interested and sometimes amazed at the letters published in your Mail concerning petting parties, particularly the confessional letters from the young petters themselves.

I am an active woman, take what I hope to be an intelligent interest and part in civic, state and club affairs. Nevertheless my home comes first and I can safely say that I do not neglect my children for any other interests. I am a high school graduate and went to college two years. I worked for five years before my marriage so know something of the business as well as the social and school world.

My daughter is seventeen and in high school. Se is a pretty girl, quite popular and has taken music and dancing lessons. All through her life I've tried to make a chum of her and keep a watchful eye on her without her feeling that I was doing police duty. We have been frank about everything. We have discussed all subjects including sex and her knowledge is clean and healthy.

We have gone about together a lot and I have given her parties and always made her friends welcome at our house. Her first beau was entertained at dinner and made to feel at home. In that way I saw them together, got acquainted with him myself and prevented the unhealthy thrill of stolen meetings.

She has attended school dances and her father has called for her in the machine. I haven't gone for her because I want her to stand alone and take care of herself. A few times boy friends have brought her home.

Now that is her background, and incidentally mine. My problem is that recently I have come to feel that she is not being quite frank about things. The other night she went to a dance with a new beau. I didn't object, neither did we offer to bring her home. It was a school party and legitimate enough. We have trusted her and I want to continue to do so. But I am disappointed that her training is not bringing better results. She told us that she came right home from the dance whereas she with another girl and the two boys left early, I was reliably informed. In fact two hours elapsed from the time they left the party and the time they reached home. They drove in a small cut-down roadster. There was barely room for two yet the four of them squeezed in. The friend who told me was not "tattling." She just mentioned that the girls an dtheir escorts left early and I myself saw all of them in the little roadster when they brought my daughter home.

Now why didn't my girl tell me about it? I've never scolded or nagged at her and was so sure I had her confidence. Yet she deliberately told me she came right home when she did not.

What shall I do, Minerva? Tell her I know what she really did, or forget it? Is she going to continue to fib and gradually a bit careless. She is at an age where we must give her some privileges. Will she abuse them and will I have to go through these next years never knowing where she is or what she is doing?

I don't know whether telling her I know of her trip after the dance will make her feel like deceiving me next time or show her how foolish she was to fib.

What am I going to do? MARY'S MOTHER.

A. I'd like to hear what other mothers have to say.

I am sure though that all your wonderful training is not going to be wasted. Have a quiet talk with her some day soon and ask her if she is keeping anything from you. I am inclined to think her training will manifest itself and she will tell you of the episode which she has so far kept from you.

Her Wholesome Ideas.

Dear Minerva: I have read your Mail off and on for quite a while. Some of these young high school girls are simply ridiculous in asking their questions. Just think of girls of sixteen, like "Pals" going riding most every night in company with boys, taking a little drink and smoking cigarettes, as they describe.

I think these girls cannot be quite so nice as they would have us believe. I have gone with boys too, but as to drinking and smoking it's simply out of the program. The boys some of them have been perfectly horrid and I've had to forcibly put them out of their own cars. Others have been perfect gentlemen, not even trying to put their arms around a girl or kiss her either.

When we girls find out a boy is just an animal we shun him. Some of these boys realize they are ugly and have tried to reform. One of them is a very nice boy now in spite of his former ways. But few people realize it or will have anything to do with the reformed ones.

I have a sweetheart now who is a wonderful man, just as good as he could possibly be, and I'm certainly glad I've never had very much to do with bad boys, and of course my man is glad too. I know he would leave me if I ever went out with another boy.

I believe if "Pals" would only wait until they are eighteen or nineteen, the better class of boys would come to them. An I know they would be happier themselves and would have more respect and love for the right man when he does come. There is no sense in being wild and foolish at sixteen or seventeen. Girls this age should be home studying or at the show or theater with their parents.

To be shunned and pointed at whenever you step out of your own house is not so good. The friendship of such boys as you describe "Pals" is not worth keeping. And instead of trying to repulse them without angering them, better see how soon you can anger them, because their friendship is not the real friendship and it is only dangerous to yourself, damaging your good characters and cheapening yourselves in your own eyes, if perhaps not before others. COUNTRY ROSE OF NINETEEN.

P. S. I suppose "Pals" will say "Oh well; what does a country girl know about anything?"

A. Well, I think this "Country Rose" is a mighty wise young miss.

She must be sinewy also as well as sensible if she can "put the boys out of their own cars."

Better use your brains rather than your brawn however, and stay out of the car yourself unless you know mighty well that the boy is going to avoid any disrespectful actions.

The "steady" will no doubt safeguard you from any further such [illegible] "Rose." But let the other [illegible] read this letter take [illegible] And believe "Rose" if [illegible] lieve me; her way is the [illegible] girls only would unite [illegible] the boys who are [illegible] the standard of boy- [illegible] would rise quickly.

Flapper Flaps.

Eva: I have been a silent reader of your Mail for some time, but I surely don't agree with every one about certain things.

In this place dancing is considered a "great sin." The definition of dancing is a pastime or sport. Quite a while ago a reader said that if sex danced with sex that most people would not go. This is an incorrect statement for the girls dance with girls and some boys do not dance at all. The people who think dancing is so horrid are probably people who have never gone near a dance hall in their lives. If the preachers who are so strong against dancing would forget it and preach more about God and his love, more of the young people would enjoy the services more.

And girls when you hear some "Old Hen" giving you Hall Columbia just remark, "She has had something worse happen to her."

If a girl wishes to kiss a boy good night, let her do it. After the new wears off it will be quite different. The fact is that she'll probably quit entirely, but if the parents are opposed to it, the girls are bound to do it.

In this town there is a young man who has been drunk several times, but he has been sober for a long time and I think that if there is a nicer young man as a good friend, you'll have to travel a long way.

People won't give him any peace. They start stories about him all the time (darn the gossips).

I think that any girl sixteen years old is old enough to have a "beau". I am sixteen and I have several "fellows." But you should hear the talk! Oh, Gosh.

Hoping that this doesn't reach your waste-paper basket. I am—"BILLIE."



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All progress springs from me.
Who am I?
I am WORK.
(From Brazilian Business, published by the American.

"LIFE IS REAL—LIFE IS EARNEST—"

And the washtub is not the goal—at least not for the modern woman. We have all had a wonderful Christmas. The house is tumbled from top to bottom. Laughter and good fellowship did it so what care we for happy disorder. But tomorrow morning life becomes real again and there is much soiled linen to be cared for. Bundle it up, every bit of it, and call the Best Laundry, B1579. In two days it will be back in perfect condition. No worry, no work, and very little expense.

AN ESSAY ON THE FROG.
(By a Norwegian Boy)

What a wonderful bird the frog are.
When he sits he stands, almost;
When he hop he fly, almost;
He ain't got no sense, hardly;
He ain't got no tail, hardly, either;
When he sits he sits on what he ain't got, almost.

DON'T TIP YOUR HAT!

The current issue of Vogue says "Don't Tip Your Hat"—speaking to women, of course. The editorial goes on to say: "Where did they come from, these distressingly American hat-tipping habits—that take chic and toss it all over the mill? Servant tipping is necessary. Table tipping is often diverting. But hat tipping is deplorable."

The editor assures us that they wear their hats much better in Paris. He cannot understand this tidal wave from Pacific slopes. Numerous distractingly pretty American faces, he says, both at home and in Europe, appear topped by a hat that rolls hilariously over one ear, balanced there miraculously by a rush of hair to the front or on the side. "A fundamental straightness," we read, "becomes more than ever an important factor in the wearing of the newest hats."

Now that I have told you what Mons. Editor thinks, and boldly says, my obligation to you, dear reader, is finished, and you may do exactly as you please.

THE CALL OF SPRING.

Regardless of what we read about "Paris has decreed this," and "Paris has forecast that" there are a few things that every woman must take into consideration before purchasing her costumes. First, her complexion. She must select colors and combinations that tend to give her skin a clear, definite exterior. Then her figure is to be given some thought. Dots large and dots small, dots regular and dots irregular are to be features this spring. But dots have a tendency to make one look large. Therefore the too plump, and the too large, and the too curved woman should avoid them. Black and white will be marching along in the front ranks of spring fashion and Milady of calories should keep to the vertical stripes.

A NEW CLEANING SERVICE.

There is a new cleaning service in Lincoln—The Spotless Cleaners. Mr. Harry H. Uerling has taken over the management of this concern and is giving excellent, one day service. Mr. Uerling suggests that you call B4459 and try them just once.

NEW YEAR ORANGE CAKE.

Half cup American Maid butter (at any good grocery) 1 cup sugar, 2 cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 2 eggs, 2-3 cup milk, 1 teaspoon flavoring.

Cream butter, add sugar gradually. Add beaten egg yolks and beat hard. Sift flour, measure, add baking powder and sift again. Add alternately with milk to first mixture. Add flavoring. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in 2 layers or double recipe for 3 large layers, in moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.). Put together with Orange Filling, and cover with Boiled Icing.

This is a delicious and economical New Years' cake.

MORNING THOUGHT.

Because of their undesirable reactions, we must master the senses. As we attain mastery over the senses we begin to see more clearly, feel more compassionately, hear more understandingly. No matter what the experience through which we are passing, if we understand life's reactions we may emerge from our lessons better, finer, and more spiritual for the experience.

The reaction to sensuality is sadness.
The reaction to sin is sickness.
The reaction to silence is wisdom.
The reaction to love, is, light, peace, joy.

ADELAIDE HENSLEY.

WHAT WE NEED.

We do not need more spiritual development;
We need more spiritual power.
We do not need more intellectual power;
We need more moral power.
We do not need more knowledge;
We need more character.
We do not need more government,
We need more culture.
We do not need more law;
We need more religion;
We need more of things that are unseen.

—CALVIN COOLIDGE.

WHAT DID YOU GET FOR CHRISTMAS?

So you did NOT get a fur coat. Well, what's the difference. I stopped in at Cadwallader's, 1010 Q street, yesterday, to talk about furs and Mr. Cadwallader exhibited dozens of brand new garments that will introduce his annual January sale of furs. The caraculs are beautiful, made up in several styles and combinations. One Leopard trimmed with rich golden fox would just suit the tall, slender girl who can "get away with" striking clothes and look like the cover of Vogue. The northern seals, so popular this year, are beautiful.

Tomorrow morning is the big day of the sale. Go at once and select the garment you like, pay a deposit and arrange for future payments.

"'T is in deeds we serve the master,—
Word are idle, empty prayer;
All our Christian life a pretense,
If the deeds are wanting there."



With kind thoughts and all good wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year we begin a glorious and wonderful 1926.

—Modern Eve.

University Notes

The work of the committee on business research of the College of Business Administration, under the direction of Dr. T. Bruce Robb, is attracting considerable attention. Dr. Ronald P. Faulker of the Alexander Hamilton Institute commends highly the work of the committee, and in a recent letter to Dr. Cobb calls attention to the fact that the committee's efforts are highly appreciated by the New York Journal of Commerce", in which on November 28, is found a full column devoted to a discussion of the committee's bulletin on the cost of operating grocery stories in Nebraska. Further evidence of the high rating given the work comes from Homer L. Dodge, director of the school of engineering physics, University of Oklahoma, who, in a letter to Dean J. E. LeRossignol writes: "The information which I received from you and others on the faculty was so complete and to the point that I chose the work at Nebraska to describe in some detail as representative of the type of service which a state educational institution can and should render the public."

The thirteenth annual news letter to graduates and former students of the College of Engineering has been recently mailed from the office of Dean O. J. Ferguson. It contains information concerning the progress of the University during the past year, registration, changes in the curriculum of the College of Engineering, activities of engineering organizations, and student affairs. The bulletin also calls attention to the facts that: "Of the tax-supported institutions, Nebraska now holds seventh place in enrollment. In this particular, it is preceded by California, Michigan, Illinois, Minnesota, Ohio, and Wisconsin, and closely followed by the University of Washington. Yet in budget expenditures, Nebraska holds thirteenth place in a similar list. It is also thirteenth in rank in the matter of average salaries paid to professors and is twenty-first in its president's salary."

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Clubdom

Woman's Club CALENDAR

Monday.

Chapter K., P. E. O. meets in the evening with Mrs. Hazel Slater, Stratford Manor, 3080 Stratford avenue. Assisting hostesses, Mrs. Robert Gray, Mrs. Dean Fordyce, Miss Inez Kenagy, Mrs. F. W. Hager, Mrs. Bertha Minor, Mrs. Hazel Nohavec will speak on "Music Appreciation."

Tuesday.

Tuesday Travel club meets with Miss Ida Robbins, 1941 B street, for one o'clock luncheon.

American Legion auxiliary meets with Mrs. H. A. East, 2125 A street, 2:30 p. m. Officers will be installed.

Thursday.

Thursday Morning lecture circle meets at 10 a. m. with Mrs. S. J. G. Irwin, 2212 Washington street. Dr. S. Mills Hayes will lecture on "Evolution of Modern Nations."

Saturday.

Ceres club will met with Mrs. W. Burr, 1300 North Thirty-seventh street. Afternoon.

LEGION AUXILIARY HOLDS INSTILATION.

The American legion auxiliary will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. H. A. East, 2125 A street, for installation of officers, as follows:

Mrs. C. W. Taylor, president.
Mrs. H. A. East, vice president.
Mrs. Lotus Harris, secretary.
Mrs. Elmer LaFollette, treasurer.
Mrs. William Grossman, sergeant at arms.
Mrs. C. E. Rolfe, chaplain.

Christmas sonks will be sung and a get-a-quainted hour passed.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUBS.

The Crete Axis club held its annual Christmas party in the new club rooms, Tuesday evening. Fifty members and guests sat down to an old fashioned dinner served by the committee in charge of Mrs. Leabman and Mrs. Wright. An ovation was given the girls at the close of the dinner for the wonderful success of their first attempt at serving their own dinners.

Following the dinner Santa Claus distributed gifts to everyone from a sleigh. A program consisting of duets by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knight; clown dance, Sylva Vavricka; reading, Nellie Dillen; piano solo Master Joe Brabec and vocal solo by Alice Backel, was given. The club collect, attractively framed was presented to the club by the delegates to the McCook convention.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT THE ORTHOPEDIC.

The civics department of the Lincoln Woman's club, gave the regular weekly program at the Orthodepic hospital, on Wednesday afternoon, consisting of Christmas readings by Mrs. Guy Harris; a solo in solo by Charlene Carney, accompanied by Agnes Randolph Mrs. J. M. Neeley and her three daughters, Aileen, Elizabeth and Katherine, gave a group of readings, vocal solos, musical readings and quartet numbers.

Several Christmas carols were sung and the entire program carried out the spirit of the season.

Each child received a box of candy.

Girls' Reserve

Girl Reserve Triangles will meet in the schools as usual during the coming week. Various members of the Student club of Lincloln high school will be in charge of the Triangles in cases where the university advisers are unable to be with them. McKinley Triangle will meet Monday at the Y. W. C. A. with Vera Klein and Christine Keefer in charge. Park school Triangles will have with them Eleanor Baker and Freida Kissler. Ruth Sherman, Eleanor Gadd and Marjorie Champe will assist at Elliott school on Thursday afternoon. Miss Grace Stuff will mee' with the Hayward Girl Reserves on Wednesday. Junior high school Triangles will meet with their regular advisers.

About one hundred grade school Girl Reserves gathered on Wednesday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. for their annual Christmas party. Get-acquainted games were played on the second floor as the group gathered. The major part of the afternoon was spent in the gymnasium with musical games and relays forming the chief entertainment. Late in the afternoon the group gathered. The major part of the afternoon was spent in the gymnasium with musical games and relays forming the chief entertainment. Late in the afternoon the group gathered about the big Christmas tree in the lobby to sing Christmas carols and await the coming of Santa Claus. Refreshments of ice and cookies were served by members of the McKinley Triangle.

Camp Fire Notes

The annual camp reunion will be held at the high school girls' gym, Monday evening, Decmeber 27, 7:30 to 9:30. All girls are invited whether they have been to Camp Kiwanis or not, and all are requested to wear camp clothes. Light refreshments will be served. A good time assured everybody.

Most of the groups in the city are not holding meetings this week owing to vacation, however, most every group is doing something in the way of Christmas cheer.

Camp Fire Girls did their share of the Christmas carolling this year. Among those carolling were the following groups: Mrs. Grace Young's three groups of Bethany; Mrs. Carlson and Mrs. McWilliams camps on West A; Mrs. H. B. Sawyer, south Lincoln; Mrs. Mable Lackey, 46th and Holdrege; Florence Steever, south Lincoln.

The all city and suburb hike will be held on Saturday January 2. All girls attending should meet at the Camp fire office at 10:30 o'clock, bringing with them a wainer lunch. Attendance fulfills one of the general requirements for the "Burn Fire Burn" contest.

Two hundred-fifty tarletan stockings were made and filled by the Camp Fire girls of the city to be taken to the various hospitals and dependant homes. Materials for the stockings were furnished by the Junior league.

About three hundred were in attendance at the annual Christmas candle-lighting service, held at the high school auditorium Monday evening, December 21. Following a short program a pageant was presented by about sixty girls Camp Fire Girls of the various groups over the city. A chorus of fifty voices sang Christmas carols.

Several large boxes of toys were taken from the office to Tabitha home. These toys were contributed by many groups. Many children and families have been taken care of by the Camp Fire Girls of the city and suburbs.

Filipino Club To Give Dinner and a Program

They may be a long way from home and friends but that is no reason why the Filipino students at the University of Nebraska will not commemorate the twenty-ninth anniversary of the Filipino hero and martyr, Dr. Jose Rizal. The anniversary is to be celebrated Wednesday evening, December 30, in the dining room of the First Baptist church. The Filipino club of the university will act as host. A number of outsiders have been bidden to the dinner, for which the following menu has been planned:

Ensalada de Frutas.
Adovo Filipino—Escabeche.
Sotanjon.
Arroz Valenciana.
Pan y Mantequilla.
Dulce de Sago.
Cafe Oriental.

After the dinner the guests will be entertained with the following program:

Selections—
Piano solo—Augusto Franco.
Steel Guitar, Jose M. Gacusana.
Introductory Address—N. C. Ruelos.
Vocal Solo—Velma Osborne. Esther Tritsch at the piano.
As in Old Gardens—Rischer.
Where My Caravan Has Rested—Lohr.
"The Philippines Will Not Forget," Jose A. Adeva, president.
Philippine Airs—Medley, Filipino String duet. Song, N. G. Duet.
Addrres—Dr. A. P. Fitzsimmons.
Philippines, My Philippines, America, Everybody.

Y.W.C.A. Notes

Monday.

Business men's class, 12-1:30. Handball, 11:30-2. Business men, 5:15-6:30. Young men's class, 8-9. Hexathlon practice, 7:30-8. Dormitory class, 9-9:45. Boxing, 7:30-9. High school, 3:45-4:45. Senior employed, 6:30-7:30. Church pioneer groups 4:30-9:30.

Tuesday.

Handball, 11:30-2. Basketball league, 7:40-10. Wrestling, 7:30-9. Swimming 5:15-6. Junior high school 3:45-5:45. Pioneers A, 4:45-5:45. Junior employed, 6:30-7:30. Volleyball: Dr. A. H. Schmidt's team vs. W. M. Folsom's team. Y's Men club, 6, board room.

Wednesday.

Business men's class, 12-1:30. Handball, 11:30-2. Business men, 5:15-7. Young men's class, 8-9. Dormitory class, 9-9:45. Leaders, 7-8. Pioneers B, 4:15-5:15. High school leaders, 3:15-4:15. Employed leaders, 7-8. Hi-Y club meeting, 6-7:30. Discusion on cheating and gambling led by Jack Leonard. L. L. Coryell will be the speaker of the evening.

Thursday.

Handball, 11:30-2. Advanced volleyball, 11:45-1:30. Basketball leagues, 7:40-10. Wrestling, 7:30-9. Swimming, 5:15-6. High school, 3:45-4:45. Senior employed, 6:30-7:30. Volleyball: Dr. E. B. Brooks' team vs. C. E. France's team.

Friday.

Y. M. C. A. open house. Swimming meet, 10. Inter class relays, 3. Annual open house gym exhibition, 3:30. Pet and hobby show, 11 a. m. to 9 p. m. Admission free. DeMolay band will entertain afternoon and evening.

Saturday.

Handball, 11:30-2. Advanced Volleyball practice, 11:45-1:30. Basketball league, 7-10. Advanced gymnastics 4:30-6. Pioneer A, 10-11. Pioneer B, 9-10. Pioneer leaders, 11-12. Gymnastics, 4:30-6. Church pioneer groups, 7:30-8:30. Saturday evening club, 6:30-7:30.

University Notes

Prof. C. J. Frankforter of the chemistry department went to Washington, D. C., this month to attend a special course in the Army War college. Professor Frankforter is a lieutenant-colonel of infantry in the Officers Reserve Corps.

W. B. A. business meeting, I. O. O. F. hall, followed by social and dance in the evening.

State of Nebraska camp No. 2266, Modern Woodmen of Amerion, 8 o'clock at Knights of Pythias hall, 1210 P street. There will be ritualistic work. Visiting neighbors welcome.

Tuesday.

Monthly meeting of the American Legion auxiliary, unit No. 3, home of Mrs. H. A. East, 2125 A street. Installation of officers.

Brotherhood of American Yeoman, No. 3200, dance at V. F. W. hall, 1133 M street.

Sacred Heart Altar society, home of Mrs Leo Kelley, 3141 W street, at 2:30.

Wednesday.

Sons of Veterans, Christmas kensington, home of Mrs. Charles Wray, 1816 M street, 2.30 o'clock. Members will exchange gifts.

Thursday.

Past Presidents club of Farragut Womans Relief corps, home of Mrs. O. C. Bell, 935 D street, at 2:30 for business meeting, election of officers and Christmas party.

Temple chapter kensington, home of Mrs. F. W. Pitler, 1325 North Thirty-fifth street. Assisting hostesses, Mesdames J. J. Bristow, W. E. Rife, G. G. Gunn, Mary Roelfs, E. L. McLaughlin.

Brotherhood of American Yeomen No. 1259, regular business meeting in the evening at 8 o'clock at the Knights of Pythias hall, 1210 P street.

U. N. I. lodge, No. 323 I. O. O. G., University Place, entertains Rebekahs and families at watch party New Year's eve.

Friday.

Regular meeting of the General Custer circle No. 26 of G. A. R. postponed until January 8. Installation.

Saturday.

Board of St. Leger Cowley chapter of D. A. R., Y. W. C. A. at 12 o'clock

Helen Sargent unit, Womens Overseas Service league, luncheon, La Petit Gourmet, 1 o'clock

Sons of Veterans auxiliary special meeting at 2 o'clock, Red room of the Y. M. C. A., to accept resignations, elect president and arrange dates of meetings for the coming year.

The Viking Lodges will hold their annual Christmas festival the evening of December 28 at Walsh hall, 141 South Twelfth street, at 8:30 p. m. All Viking families and their friends are invited. A musical program will be given and Santa Claus will give toys, candy and

...amily Holds a Reunion



Thursday evening in the Schmidt apartments.

The annual Christmas program given by the Sunday school classes of M. E. church, was given Wednesday evening. After the program, Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Randall were presented with a floor lamp.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Samuelson, who came here several days ago to attend the funeral of S. R. Hall, left Thursday for their home in Julesburg, Colo.

The Delphian club will not meet Tuesday, December 29 on account of the holidays, but will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, January 5.

Russel Tucker of Eagleb... South Dakota, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tucker.

Miss Lorraine Hanson, who is attending school at St. Mary's Academy at Omaha, is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanson.

Robert Cox arrived here Sat...

McLoughlin, Bonnalyn Scott.

Song—Mary Margaret Jenkins, Sleep Little Baby Sleep. Piano accompaniment, Mrs. Jenkins.

Reading—Margeret Hunter, A group of Dutch readings and dance.

Instrumental Music — By Genevieve Cook piano, and Dudley Cook, marimba.

Vocal solo—Edward Fogg, Silent Night. Piano accompaniment, Mrs. R. L. Armstrong.

Vikings' Christmas program and entertainment at Walsh hall at 8 o'clock Monday evening.

Farragut Woman's Relief Corps No. 10 met in Fraternity hall Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Laura B. Hotchkiss was received as a new member. The past department president, Celestine Tozer was an honored guest. President Mary G. Weakley presided.

The Daughters of Veterans, Sarah D. Gillespie tent, held their annual Christmas party for the comrades Tuesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall. About twenty comrades were to attend the funeral of Sam Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheaten Allen of Decatur, Ill., arrived Thursday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Anderson.

The Trowel club gave a dance in the Masonic hall Tuesday night, for Masons and their friends. About fifty coufples attended.

Miss Fern Webster arrived Thursday from Chicago and will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Webster.

Miss Nina Tucker of Huron, South Dakota, came Thursday for a few weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tucker.

Miss Ella Hendrickson underwent an operation at the general hospital last week.

The children of St. Patrick's school gave a Christmas program Thursday evening. After the entermainment, the children enjoyed a Christmas tree.

At a meeting of Job's Daughters in Lincoln last week, Miss Violet Hall was elected outer guard.

The music department of the Woman's club gave a Musicale January 2. In October, Miss Langdon was elected president of the Nebraska Library association.

Chancellor I. B. Schreckengast dedicated the Methodist church at Trenton Sunday.

The Psychology club held its regular meeting last Thursday evening. The general topic discussed was "Raccoons." Ralph Earl exhibited a specimen and gave their natural history. Professor Gregg related an interesting Chicago experiment, and Clinton Swengel explained the proposed experiment at Nebraska Wesleyan.

Mrs. D. W. C. Huntington has given another collection of books from Chancellor Huntington's some of Dr. Huntington's most valued volumes. Mrs. Huntington is with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Martin, '06, at 610 Thompson street, Ann Arbor, Mich. Rev. J. E. Martin is district superintendent of the Ann Arbor district of the Methodist church.

The library has recently received a fine copy of the Gospel of St. John, embossed for the blind in Braille type, the gift of Mrs. Henrietta Cool, 310 East Fifteenth street.

Word has been received of the recent death of Blanche Coffee Groit, '07, who was a resident of Chadron.

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After all, is there another holiday in the whole year that compares with the very last one, New Year's eve, when

"Dusky night rides down the sky
And ushers in the morn."

And such a "morn" as will be ushered in this year! Many will be the bright eyes that will keep watch until the last tiny minute of 1925 has sped on its way, and the baby New Year will make his debut.

There will be rejoicing and merriment, laughter and music up to within a few minutes of twelve o'clock for many. For some there will be a pleasant evening of old friends about the hearth and memories—and sorrows and disappointments will be smothered by all the beautiful remembrances of joys and success.

Regret and Anticipation.

The last chime of the old year and the first of the new will bring its moments of mingled regret and anticipation—regret for some of the things left undone, and anticipation of a happier, brighter and more joyful year than ever before.

New Year's eve watch parties are many, and for the most part very informal. At the Country club are a few reservations for small parties, and the most of the festivity seems to be centered at the University club.

One of the largest of the University club parties is a Dutch treat affair which includes the following Messrs. and Mesdames:

G. M. Baker	J. C. Orcutt
R. M. Forsythe	Sterling Mutz
R. O. Hodgman	C. J. Stoll
Chet Steen	W. G. Hassett
Glen Warren	Clayton Zellers
C. L. Clark	

Another 'no host' party of twelve will include Messrs. and Mesdames:

Roy Cochran	George Leonard
Ralph Theisen	William Patton
George Walker	R. C. Olney

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Hickman have made reservations for a table of ten. It is to be a Dutch treat affair.

Miss Jane Fox, who has been teaching at Aurora for the past semester will be honored at a New Year's eve party at the club by her father, H. D. Fox. Covers will be arranged for six guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilson have arranged for a foursome table and will spend the evening dancing following the dinner.

Ted Johnson has made reservations for a table of ten, a no host party which will include ten members of the young set.

A table for six has been reserved by E. M. Righter for dinner at the club Thursday.

Group of Twelve.

A small no host party will include Messrs. and Mesdames:

R. S. Weeks	William Wright
Ray Bauer	Miss Mildred Wright

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Aldrich have requested a table for Thursday evening. The party will be a Dutch treat affair but the arrangements have not all been completed.

Earl Potter will entertain six guests and the party will include:

Miss Helen Hanson	Warren Woodward
Miss Harriett Brown	Forrest Brown

Several Family Dinners.

New Year's day will be celebrated with several family dinners, with two unusually large affairs to be given by Governor and Mrs. Adam McMullen at the state house, and Dr. and Mrs. Ray Hunt at their home, 1604 South Twentieth street.

Governor and Mrs. McMullen are holding open house for everyone who can attend, and Dr. and Mrs. Hunt are receiving the members and friends of the First Christian church. Mrs. Hunt will use a holiday motif throughout the receiving rooms and dining room. She will be assisted in receiving by Messrs. and Mesdames I. C. Munger, Adrian Newens and H. H. Harmon.

Assisting at the serving tables will be Mesdames:

A. J. Coats	R. A. Bickford
G. L. Marts	O. C. Bell
L. C. Oberlies	F. L. Wilmeth
E. F. Stavely	W. N. Ramey

Mrs. C. H. Arnold and Miss Margaret Hallett will invite the guests into the dining room.

Mrs. Morris Roberts of Akron, O., will arrive Tuesday to spend the remainder of the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burnham. Mrs. Roberts was before her marriage, Miss Mary Burnham.

An interesting Christmas guest was Mrs. Paul Dobson, formerly Miss Betty Brown, of Exeter, Calif., who arrived nearly two weeks ago to spend Christmas with her father, E. P. Brown of Arbor, and her grandmother, Mrs. W. C. Griffiths of Lincoln.

Mrs. John B. Stoddart of Hiawatha, Kas., is the house guest of Mr. Stoddart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Stoddart, 1909 South Twenty-fifth street.

The marriage of Miss Leila Stahl to Howard Buffett of Omaha took place Saturday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stahl of West Point.

Paul Swan, Nebraskan, Once A Dancer, Opens Art Exhibit

Not since war days have Nebraskans heard much concerning Paul Swan, one of the native sons whose home was at one time in Crab Orchard. His last appearance in Lincoln, professional and otherwise, was several years ago when he appeared at the Orpheum shortly after his return from abroad, as an interpretative dancer.

One reason for his seemingly obscurity is his residence abroad for the past few years; another is that nutil the present time he has not gained a great deal of recognition in his work.

Paul Swan is not a dancer but an artist. As an interpretative dancer he gained a certain amount of notice, not only for his dancing but for the settings employed in his act. Shortly after leaving Lincoln in 1918 he gave up the theatrical work entirely and has been doing some serious work as a painter and sculptor.

And now comes word that he has opened an exhibit in New York City, which began last Tuesday and will continue until Thursday, December 31. His exhibit is being held at the Anderson galleries at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street and bids fair to be one of popular art exhibits of the season.

During the year Mr. Swan has had four mural paintings shown at the Architectural league, and an attractive bit of sculptoring, "Doleur," a head done by Mr. Swan, has been shown at the National Academy of design, and at the National Sculpture society.

Shows Twenty-One Murals

Mr. Swan is showing twenty-one murals at his exhibit and eight pieces of sculpture.

The murals are "Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow" (Origin of the Trinity), "Youth Confronted by the Creeds", "My Yesterdays", "Modern Madonna", "Living Buddha", Narcissus and Echo", "Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse", Weeping Willows", "He Shall Give His Angels Charge Over Thee", "Garden of Lotus", "Egyptian Procession", "Golden Days of Long Ago", "Chinese Panel", Spanish Vista", "Spanish Peasant Woman", "Day of the Fete", "Pastoral", stage settings for a Chinese Ballet, stage setting for Greek Ballet, Egyptian stage setting, studies for murals.

The sculpture exhibit includes "Raquel Meiller", (head, tinted) "Mystic Presences", "Lest We Forget" (head), "Homage to DeBussy", "Doleur", "Candle Holders", "The Eternal Urge", "Elegie".

"The only way to judge art", Mr. Swan said, "is to decide whether or not the artist has arrived at the realization of his mental conception. Originality is the only precious gift of the artist; without this his voice is lost in the confusion. If the artist is in tune with his subject, his methods of expression are self-adjusting. Beauty is the flavoring, or, shall we say, 'the benediction of laws obeyed'".

Chinese Students Entertain Pastor At Native Dinner

One of the very unusual holiday parties was given last evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Dean R. Leland, 1235 South Twenty-first street when they, with their two daughters, Miss Dorothy and Miss Elizabeth, were guests in their own home. Rev. and Mrs. Leland and the Misses Leland were the guests of Yin Mei Lin, Tao Yu, Chen Shih, Yuan Kwei Chen, Sheng Lee, Benjamin Wong, and T. F. Tang of Ames, Ia., who was the guest of Mr. Kwei Chen.

These Chinese boys, seven in number, attend the University of Nebraska and had a great desire to show the Rev. Leland, who is Presbyterian university pastor, what a real Chinese meal and entertainment would be like. They did.

Yin Mei Lin was the chief and he appointed two assistants. Between the three of them the meal was cooked and served in style. Other members of the Chinese group served and still others had to do the scullery work following the meal.

Then came the entertainment. Most of the boys brought Chinese musical instruments with them and gave a group of ensemble numbers.

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P. E. O. To Hold Open House For Guests Jan. 2

One of the very large affairs of the new year will be the guest day of Chapter CS P. E. O. which will be held Saturday, January 1 at the governor's mansion between the hours of 2:30 and 5 o'clock.

This is the first time that any of the local P. E. O. chapters have had an open house for guests and much interest is being shown in the arrangements.

One of the special features of the afternoon will be a musical reading by Bess Gearrart Morrison, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Dwight Thomson. A particularly interesting thing about the program to be presented by Mrs. Morrison is that the number was written by her and is unusually delightful.

Receiving with the Miss Lucy Hewitt president of the chapter, will be the members of the committee, Mrs. C. S. Paine, Miss Mabel Lindly, and the chairman, Mrs. C. W. Hudson. Refreshments will be served in the dining room following the program. A motif of yellow and white, the colors of the chapter, will be used in the decorations for the serving table, and the same color note will prevail in the receiving rooms.

Engagement Announcements

Joseph V. Vogt of Walthill announces the engagement of his daughter, Mary Carol, to Smiley Stone Boyd, son of Mrs. Iva Boyd of Lincoln. The wedding will take place at the rectory of St. Joseph church in Walthill, Thursday, January 7 at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Krueger, 1016 New Hampshire street announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Catherine to Carl Voss, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Voss, 1061 Rose street. The wedding will take place the latter part of January.

New Year's Is Celebrated Many Ways in Many Lands

Customs In Each Vary, But People of Every Clime Since Ancient Times Have Had Their Ceremony Marking the Advent of Another Twelvt Months.

From the land of wooden shoes to the bright white lights and the prairie states of the U. S., all nations will join hands to do honor to one popular custom, New Year's day. Russia and Greece are the only countries which will not celebrate on January 1, according to our Julian calendar, as their New Year's day comes twelve days later.

In the ancient days of Rome it was customary to offer sacrifices to Janus upon twelve altars and all people were always very careful to regulate their conduct so that every word and act should be a happy augury for all the other days of the year.

Varies Monotony of Giving.

Persia varies the monotony of gift giving, so favored in the Latin countries, and on New Years day big Persians and little Persians go out together to deliver presents of eggs to their best friends.

In England there came in with Henry the Third, the custom of sending gifts to the royal family. Queens received everything from gowns, garters, petticoats, jewelry and capes to fruit, preserves, swans and capons. This exchange of gifts between members of the royal household became a very formal ceremony but custom was abandoned with the rule of Oliver Cromwell and has never been revived.

Drinking Toast Remains.

But there is still the merry custom of drinking the toast. In former days a wassail cup was passed around much like our loving cup but now individual cups are substituted. Wassail is a drink concocted of ale, sugar, nutmeg and roasted crab apples, often called "lamb's wool."

On New Years eve it was a pretty tradition that all people unbar the doors of their homes to let out the old year and let in the new, accompanied by the ringing of church bells over the city.

Scotland Has Two Days.

In the land of kilties and plaids this gala day is called "Hogmanay Eve" which is thought to mean "bring mistletoe." The Scottish people celebrate two days and call them the Daft days, probably because there is so much merriment. Children of the poorer classes in the highlands swath themselves in sheets and pass around in bands to the wealthier homes asking for wheaten bread. This explains why Scotch housewives make double bakings of oat cakes for days ahead. If the housewife is extremely generous she puts a slice of cheese in the cake. And then there are the "First Foot" parties, organized to go around to all the homes and welcome them immediately after the hour of twelve. In Edinburgh a girl may expect to be kissed if she is on the street after the zero hour.

A Lanarkshire Tradition.

"Burn out the old year" is the tradition of Lanarkshire and here a huge bonfire is started at 9 p. m. and kept alive by onlookers until the new year comes in. And then on New Year's day the master brews punch or toddy and it is passed around to guests and servants who pledge to each others health and happiness. Scotland is called the Land O' Cakes because so many varieties of sweets are made and on New Years day there are scores and scores of cakes with gay inscriptions of the New Year in bright icings. It is a superstition that a person may learn his fortune for the coming year by opening at random the Bible and placing his finger on a chapter which will tell him his happiness or misery for that year. If a candle or lamp it taken out of the house on New Year's day some member of the family will die within twelve months. 'Is said, and to throw out dirty water or ashes will bring one ill luck.

Like Progressive Party.

Where the tulips grow, in Holland land, New Year's day is much like a modern progressive party. Grown-ups, children and babes go out to make friendly visits and old enmities are forgotten. At this open house each home serves some particular viand. One home may serve eggnog, another rum punch, pickles or oysters, and before all the calls have been made the visitors have probably tasted of boned turkey, Mocha coffee and perhaps a bit of old Madeira wine.

Customs In France.

In France it is customary that all the members of a family who have lost one of their number during the year to assemble at the grave early in the morning to renew the flowers or ornaments. In the afternoon the younger members of the family are supposed to call on the other members, and the eldest member of the family entertains at evening dinner for all. In this land of gayety and fair women, gentleman friends are absolutely passe if they do not send flowers or chocolates to sweethearts. Perhaps more than any other country France is noted for sending cards of greeting. Even the beggars carol on this day.

Is Sylvester's Night.

St. Sylvester's night, it is called in Germany. But in Berlin it was formerly a day for the demolition of high silk hats. This custom originated in 1748 when there occurred a riot of thepeasants against the wealthy class. But all customs are not quite as vigorous as this one In the Frankfort country there are watch parties in almost every home and at the midnight hour cathedral bells begin to ring and the win-

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Social Calendar

SUNDAY.

Mrs. Edward Becker, Jr., informal tea honoring Mrs. Holliet Knapp of Eveleth, Minn., at her home, 220 South Twenty-eighth street.

Marriage of Miss Eleanor Ackerman to Robert N. Lee of New York City at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ackerman in Havelock.

MONDAY.

Paul Neyron dancing club party at Lincoln hotel, Mrs. M. O. Fraser, hostess.

Mrs. Anna Knapp, informal bridge party, 1901 B street, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Holliet Knapp of Eveleth, Minnesota, in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Mahaffey, bridge dinner for Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hankins of Denver, at their home, 316 North Thirty-third street.

Mafa dancing club at the Rosewilde party house.

Hawne Fehlo club, home of Miss Geneva Wheeler, 819 North Thirty-third street in the evening.

Staff of General hospital, party for nurses of hospital, University club.

TUESDAY.

Palm Leaf club, with Den Hunt, Fifty-first and O street, 1 o'clock luncheon.

Ladies Day at the University club.

Mrs. George I. Burt and dfughter, Blanche, afternoon bridge at home, 1220 South Twenty-first street, honoring Miss Eunice Chapin.

Mrs. E. J. Angle, 1 o'clock luncheon at the Country club for Mrs. Guy Reed of Wilmette, Ill.

O-So-Ga club, with Miss Kathleen McCaslin, 1508 E street in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin F. Frey, dinner and dance at Glass Acres for employes of Frey and Frey.

Le Mieux bridge club, 1 o'clock luncheon with Mrs. Everett Perry, 900 South Thirty-first street.

O. D. O. club in the afternoon with Mrs. E. E. Cummins, 1624 South Twenty-seventh street.

Frank Woods, jr., dancing party at home, on Sheridan boulevard.

WEDNESDA.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Minteer, dinner party at their home, 1120 North Thirty-seventh street for Mr. and Mrs. Holliet Knapp of Eveleth, Min.

Mrs. Willard Yates, 2109 South Twenty-fourth street, 1 o'clock luncheon followed by bridge, honoring Mrs. Morris Roberts of Akron, O.

Miss Minnie May Maxwell, dinner, Hotel Lincoln.

Was Can A club, home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Miller, 2505 South Ninth street, in the evening.

Noir dinner club, 7 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hobbs, 1957 Smith street.

Lennox club, with Mrs. Harold Townsend, 4145 O street, in the afternoon.

Axtell-Lincoln club, party for members and families at the home of Mrs. A. B. Carlson, 2756 P street in the afternoon.

THURSDAY.

Forty-niners' party at the Lincoln hotel, New Year's circus.

Cotillon club, New Year's eve party at the Lincoln hotel. Mr. and Mrs L. R. Doyle, leaders.

Miss Elsie Rokahr, hostess to members of Merrymakers club, at her home, 1743 South Twenty-fourth street, in the evening.

S. A. B. club, Christmas party, home of Mrs. Lydia Brehm, 2740 Y street at 2 o'clock.

N. S. club with Mr. andMrs.F. D. Schroder, 2000 Ryons street for New Year's eve party.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Albrecht, 2755 P street, watch party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Holliet Knapp of Eveleth, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Miller, New Year's eve party for Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hankins of Denver.

F. P. M. club with Mrs. Floyd Knowlton, 2025 C street. New Year's watch party for husbands of members.

Criterion club, with Mr. and Mrs Jack Borin, 729 South Twentieth street in the evening.

M. P. club, watch party, home of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Klein, 1337 South Eleventh street, in the evening.

South Side Five Hundred club in the evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wendelin, 903 Peach street.

Sutton-Lincoln club, in the afternoon with Mrs. H. M. Wineland, 1900 Prospect street.

M. B. club, New Year's party in the evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Fraley, 851 North Twenty-sixth street.

Tri-Mu club in the evening, with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jones, 402 M street, University Place.

Avondale club in the evening, with Mr. and Mrs. A. Ruark, 307 North Twenty-fourth street.

Three-Fours bridge club, luncheon with Mrs. George Ludden, 1145 South Twenty-second street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clarke, watch party in the evening at their home, 1400 A street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fink, 641 South Thirtieth street, will entertain the members of their bridge club at a Watch party.

FRIDAY.

Dr. and Mrs. Ray Hunt, reception, 604 South Twentieth street, from 3 to 5 o'clock and from 7 to 10 o'clock.

Diller-Lincoln club in the afternoonwith Mrs. Rose E. Colman, 1029 South Twenty-sixth street.

Central W. C. T. U. open house from 2 to 5 o'clock, 1617 L street.

Governor and Mrs. Adam McMullen, open house at state house.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Chapin, at home informally from three to six o'clock at their home, 1645 D street.

Allons club dancing party at the Rosewilde party house.

SATURDAY.

R. D. club, dinner, with Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds, 2824 O street.

Golden Rod club, luncheon, with Mrs. K. C. Leonard, 1208 Washington street.

Chapter C. S. P. E. O., guest party, Governor's mansion in the afternoon.

Weddings

AHLEMAN-CRAM

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Mrs. Eva Ahleman and John Cram which took place at her home, 836 Rose street at 4:30 o'clock on Christmas day. Rev. A. J. Hollingsworth officiated in the presence of a few relatives.

STRUTHERS-DAVIS

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Struthers announce the marriage of their daughter, Florence, to John W. Davis, of Page, which took place Wednesday noon at the home of Rev. F. F. Travis, 415 North Twenty-seventh street. The young couple will make their home in Lincoln this winter.

Carnival Party Of Forty-Niners New Year's Eve

All plans for the circus which was to have been the feature of the Forty-Niners club dinner dance New Year's eve, have been cast aside, and a carnival spirit will run riot instead. The entertainment will be arranged to carry out the carnival idea, and elaborate decorations are being planned for the affair, which is to be non-costume. The tables will be arranged along the walls, as a square, and covers will be placed at just one side, so every one will face the center of the floor where all of the specialty numbers are to be presented. There will be several favor dances as well as prize dances, according to the committee in charge of the party.

Society

Weddings

ACKERMAN-LEE

Unusually lovely in its holiday setting will be the marriage of Miss Eleanor Ackerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ackerman, which will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents.

Rev. G. A. Randall of the Methodist church at Havelock will officiate in the presence of close relatives and intimate friends. The bride has chosen Miss Louella Conway as her only attendant and a cousin, Harry T. Johnson of Kansas City will serve the groom as best man.

Miss Conway will wear a sleeveless frock of French blue georgette made on straight lines and will carry an arm bouquet of pink roses.

Miss Ackerman's gown is an imported French model of white taffeta made with a fitted bodice and very full skirt. The hem is banded with blue satin upon which, at intervals, are clusters of small yellow roses. The bridal bouquet will be of white bride's roses with a shower of lilies-of-the-valley.

Preceding the service Miss Ruth Styer will sing "At Dawning," and Love's Old Sweet Song," accompanied by Miss Esther Kahm who will play the wedding music from Lohengrin for the entrance of the bridal party.

Mr. Lee and his bride will leave immediately after the ceremony for New York City. Miss Ackerman's going away costume is a frock of brown satin over which she will wear a long white caracul coat with a deep collar and deep cuffs of brown beaver. She will wear a small brown hat and carry a green bag.

The bride is a graduate of piano and voice at Bethany college, Topeka, and the past year has been on the Orpheum circuit with Gus Edwards and his company.

Mr. Lee is the son of Harry C. Lee, president of the Harry C. Lee Sporting Goods Co., and is one of the officials of the company. During the war he served as air pilot and was given the commission of first lieutenant.

Upon their arrival in New York Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Lee will give a large reception at Tower Lee, the Lee home at Uyack-on-the-Hudson, after which Mr. Lee and his bride will honeymoon in Bermuda. They will reside at Nyack-on-the-Hudson upon their return to New York.

HUTCHENS-CONKLIN

A very pretty home wedding took place at 9:15 o'clock Christmas night at the home of Mr .and Mrs. Benjamin Hutchens, 3281 Potter street when their only daughter, Mary Frances, was united in marriage to Chester W. Conklin. The ceremony was performed in the living-room which was appropriately decorated with Christmas appointments. A small Christmas tree stod on either side of the improvised altar and an arch of mistletoe and holly entwined with miniatue electric lights with a large white bell suspended from the center, formed a most attractive setting for the service. Rev. Jack Leonard of the East Lincoln Christian church officiated using the ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson of Lincoln were the only attendants. Mrs. Hutchens was assisted later in the evening by Mrs J. M. Hutchens and Mrs. George Peach. A dainty luncheon was served to about twenty-five guetss. Among the guests were Mr .and Mrs. L. W. Conklin, parents of the groom and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Van Sickle of Omaha. Mr. and Mrs. Conklin will be at home to their friends at 1130 South Thirtieth street in the near future.

SKIDMORE-BEAGLE

The marriage of Miss Clara Skidmore, daughter of Mrs. Tena Skidmore, to J. Beagle, son of Mrs. Clara A. Beagle of Englewood, Cal., took place at midnight, December 24, at the home of the bride's mother, 1633 P street. Rev. Walter Aitken of the St. Paul's Methodist church performed the ceremony. Miss Ellen Skidmore, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor and Roscoe Tutty served the groom as best man. A reception followed the ceremony. The young couple will make their home in Lincoln until spring when they will move to Englewood, Cal.

STAHL-BUFFETT

The marriage of Miss Leila Stahl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stuhl of West Point to Howard Buffett of Lincoln took place on December 26 at the home of the bride's parents. Miss Stahl attended the University of Nebraska, where she was a member of Alpha Chi Omega. Mr. Buffett was graduated from the University last June, where he was a member of Alpha Sigma Phi, Innocents, and Sigma Delta Chi. The young couple will reside at 4224 Barker avenue, Leavenworth Heights, Omaha, and they will be at home after February first.

STACKMAN-WILCOX

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stackman announce the marriage of their daughter, Blanche Dorothea, to Donald Wilcox which took place on Thursday, December 24, at the Methodist parsonage in University Place. Rev. Allen K. Williams was the officiating minister. The ceremony was performed at 3 o'colck in the presence of a small number of guests who included only the members of the two families. Mr. Wilcox is the son of Mrs. Blanche Wilcox of Lincoln. The young couple will make their home in Lincoln.

Lincoln People To See Princeton Club Production

In spite of the fact that there are few Princeton alumni in Lincoln, a group of Lincoln people will motor to Omaha Monday to witness the production of "Fortuno" Monday evening in the auditorium of the Technical high school there, by the Princeton Triangle club.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Gooch, sons Amsden, who is attending Princeton university, and Herbert E. Gooch, jr., will attend as will Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Towle and son, Curtis, Dr. and Mrs. B. M Nyce and son Norman, Dr and Mrs. J. M. Mayhew and daughters, Winifred, Ruth and Katherine, Dr. Nyce, Dr. Mayhew and Norman Nyce are Princeton alumni.

The production, to be presented Monday evening by this famous musical and dramatic club of Princeton university, has aroused the keenest interest throughout the state, not only because of the popularity of the organization, but because in the cast are several football stars and other prominent athletes from Princeton.

Tarkington a Member.

The Triangle club, named after the famous Triangle walk on the Princeton campus, was established in 1892, and had as its first president in 1893, Booth Tarkington, a classmate and Triangle brother of Dr. Mayhew of Lincoln.

Some of the other prominent members of the club are George Post Wheeler and F. Scott Fitzgerald.

The comic opera to be presented Monday is entirely the product of undergraduate talent, and every effort is made to appeal to the eye with beautiful and fantastic color combinations. The scenery is some of the most elaborate ever attempted. The plot was written by I. W. Thompson and S. T. Carter both of the class of '27, and deals with the heroic escape of Olivia, the daughter of the Doge of Venice, from marriage to a rich politician. Fortuno, handsome heir to a hostile house, wins her heart and hand in the end.

Slagle in Chorus.

Slagle, all-American half-back, will be a member of the regular male chorus, and specialty clogging chorus. There is not a girl in the chorus. McMillan, the all-star center and captain of the Princeton team, will be a guard in the palace of the Doge. Booth, president of the senior class, president of Triangle club, and football letter man, takes the part of Fortuno, the hero.

The dancing in the opera, has been coached by Ned Wayburn of the Follies, and many are the specialty features of the production.

Many social affairs have been arranged for the men who have taken the 4,000 mile holiday trip to Omaha, by active and alumni Princeton men in Omaha. Monday noon the men will be entertained at luncheon, and later in the afternoon at a tea dance which is to be quite an elaborate affair. A banquet for all Princeton men will precede the play, and following will be a supper dance.

Mrs. H. E. Gooch is a patroness.

PARKER-ROEHLS

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Irene Parker to Victor H. Roehls of Wallace, Ida. The marriage took place June 27, 1923, at Denver Colo. Mrs. Roehl graduated with the spring class at the Lincoln Sanitarium. The young couple will make their home at Wallace, Ida.

CONLEY-NORDIN

The marriage of Miss Mildred Conley, daughter of Mrs. W. A. Conley, and Carl Nordin, of Lexington, took place at 3 o'clock on Christmas day at the home of the bride, 810 South Thirty-first street. Rev. Paul C. Johnston performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate families. Mr. and Mrs. Nordin left for a motor trip to Chicago and will be at home in Elmwood after the first of the year

Attractive Choruses In "Don't Park Here"



—Macdonald.

Upper: "Twinkling Eyes" chorus of "Don't Park Here," personnel, Marie Daugherty, Agnes Kelly, Jeanette Kelly, Margaret Smith, Irene Gaudreau, Lila McLaughlin Neola O'Hara, Mary Mahaney, Marjorie Barton, Mildred Kavanaugh.

Center: "Jingle Bell" chorus, Antoinette Lococo, Josephine Lococo, Bonie Van Laningham, Isabel Van Laningham, Helen Ashton, Catherine Cody, Grace Pierce, Grace Dunne, Veola Rucker, Bernice Mingo.

Lower: "Strut" chorus, Lila McLaughlin, Dollie Dailey, Margaret McLaughlin, Thelma Utter, Louise Willson, Elizabeth Gilbertson.

Three of the attractive choruses which will be seen Monday and Tuesday evenings at the Orpheum theater in "Don't Park Here," a two act comedy which is being presented by the Knights of Columbus.

HESS-DRAKE

A wedding of interest to Lincoln people which takes place in Wayne this week is that of Miss Bonnie Hess, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George J. Hess of Wayne and Hugh Drake, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Drake, of Kearney. The wedding will be on December 29, at the home of the bride's parents. Mis Hess is a member of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority and Mr. Hess is affiliated with Sigma Nu fraternity. The young couple will make their home in Kearney where Mr. Drake is an attorney.

ROLAND-SMITH

A New Year's eve wedding will be that of Miss Grace Roland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Roland of Crete and Lawrence D. Smith of Crete. The wedding will take place at midnight on December 31 at the home of the bride's parents in Crete.

Parties of the Week

Professor and Mrs. H. P. Davis entertained twele guests at evening bridge at their home, 3715 Holdrege street, Saturday. A Christmas tree, gay festoonings and red candles tied with tulle bows in the same color made the rooms attractive. Refreshments were served following the card game. The guest list included Prof. and Mrs. P. A. Downs, Prof. and Mrs. Roy F. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. L .K. Crowe, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Olney and Mr. and Mrs. dward Kennedy.

George S. Brinton entertained thirty-five couples of the De Molay band, of which he is director, at the Delta Sigma Lambda house, 2740 R street, Saturday evening. Special guests were officers of the De Molay chapter and also the officers of the fraternity. Music was furnished for dancing by several of the members of the band, directed by Earl Baldwin. Decorations were in keeping with the holiday season and paper mache favors were given the guests. Refreshments were served. Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Tuppr and Mr .and Mrs. Fred Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hankins of Denver, Colo., were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wolcott and family, 139 South Twenty-fifth street. Numerous affairs are planned for these guests during their visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moriarty of Kansas City, Mo., spent the holidays with Mrs. Moriarty's mother, Mrs. Anna Dart, 420 South Nineteenth street and attended the family reunion at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Hayes at 3531 U street. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hayes, Miss Doris Hayes, Miss Rachel Hayes, Mrs. Anna Hart, Mrs. Pearl Serry and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dart and children.

Three generations attended the Christmas dinner of the Easterday family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil R. Easterday, 1645 South Twenty-third street. Covers were laid for thirty-five. Rev. T. R. Easterday, who is 80 years old and a brother of the older Easterday men living in Lincoln, and his wife of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., were present. This is the first time Rev. Easterday has been in Lincoln for the Christmas reunion of the family. A short talk was given by Reverend Easterday following the dinner after which greetings from the absent members were read. The four elder Easterdays, T. R., A. W., M. L. and D. F. who call themselves the "317 quartet" because their ages total 317 years, sang several numbers and A. W. Easterday and M. L. Easterday gave a duet which they sang years ago. The gifts were distributed from a Christmas tree. Dinner was served at three long tables decorated with poinsettias and red tapers. Small Christmas trees were used on the buffet in the dining room and English holly decorated the living room.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Colton, 303 South Twenty-fifth street, Christmas day. The children present were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Colton and children, Babette and Jean, of Sioux City, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. James W. Colton and children, Virginia Lee and Thomas, of Duluth, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Colton of Okmulgee, Okla, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warner of Norfolk, Neb., Mrs. Warner was formerly Miss Frances Colton.

Mr.and Mrs. L. C. Chapin will be at home to their friends informally New Years afternoon at their home,

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Townsend — portrait photographer.—Adv.

New Years Is Celebrated In Many Ways

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dows in every house are opened. Then families look out with glass in hand to call out Merry New Year and for those few breathless seconds millions of cries echo in the air. Then the windows are closed and the cities go back to quietude and sleep.

Lock Relatives In Closets.

Belgium boys and girls collect the keys of their homes days before time and on the big day capture either an aunt or uncle, lock them up in a close and demand a fitting ransom for freedom.

Boys of Russia rise early on this morn, fill their pockets with peas and wheat, and then go out in bands to enter people's homes and waken them from their sleep. If a boy finds a friend, he scatters some of his wheat. If he finds someone he has a grudge against, he shoots several peas. And there is the custom of children decorating a horse with evergreen and mistletoe and leading the horse into wealthy homes to receive favors. The Russians celebrate much as Americans do the Fourth of July. They have parades, in which may be seen, oxen, cows, goats and hogs and often times old women carrying barnyard fowls.

In China and Japan.

In China and Japan it is a day of banking. All debts must be paid by the last day in the old year. There are lanterns and artificial flowers hung all over the street and the man sallies forth to call or return visits while his better half remains at home in seclusion.

In Japan, China and Korea, all the birth dates are reckoned to the first of January. If Cher-Chow or Peek-A-Boo were born in July and Novembey they do not hold their birthday parties until January so the social calender of these countries are overflowing for this day.

Chinese Students Entertain Pastor

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Soloists for the occasion were Mr. Tang, who played a Chinese flute, and Tao Yu whose instrument resembled the mandolin.

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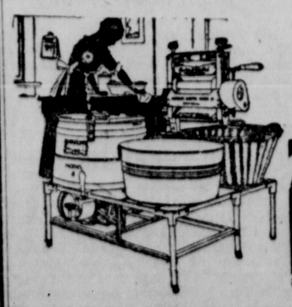
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READY-TO-WEAR—Third Floor.

Society

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1614 D street, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Pink roses will be used in the dining room. About one hundred and fifty guests are expected to call.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Sanderson will have as their guests for New Years dinner the L. C. Chapin family.

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. HollIet Knapp, of Eveleth, Minn., there have been several informal parties during the past week and more have been planned the coming week. This afternoon, Mrs. Edward Becker, Jr., will preside at an informal tea at her home, 220 South Twenty-eighth street for a small number of guests. On Monday evening, Mrs. Anna Knapp will entertain at an informal bridge party for her son and Mrs. Knapp, at 1901 B street. There will be three tables of players. Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Balst [illegible] the visitors at a small dinner party, and Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Minteer will entertain. Another out-of-town guest to be honored by Mr. and Mrs. Minteer is Miss Charlotte Kiser of Lansing, Mich. A watch party will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Albrecht on New Year's eve for Mr. and Mrs. Knapp and Mrs. Anna Knapp will have the family dinner party at her home on New Year's day.

Mrs. Richard Beers, assisted by her aunt, Mrs. I. E. Warren, entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner on Christmas day at her home, 2750 F street. Covers were laid for twelve and the centerpiece was a miniature Christmas trees and a Christmas motif was carried out in the other decorations as well. The guest list consisted of the members of the two immediate families and included, Mrs. Beer's mother, Mrs. Anna Warren of Douglas, Neb., and Kenneth Burley of Lincoln. After dinner a number of musical selections were given by the members of the Warren family orchestra, and there were piano duets by Mrs. Beers and her daughter, Ethel. The remainder of the evening was spent with bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Schoby and daughter, Aurelia and Miss Betty Luce of Rochester, Minn., are holiday guests of Prof. and Mrs. Edward S. Luce. They will be here for ten days. A musicale and party for seventy guests was given in the Luce apartments on Wednesday evening and Mrs. L. J. Strain gave a dinner party for them Thursday evening.

Central W. C. T. U. will hold open house on New Year's day from 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon at 1617 L street. There will be a special program of old-time songs. F. T. Johnson will speak on "The Danger Signal." There will be music by the quartet and select reading by Y. P. B. of College View. Mrs. Cora Clayton, state president of W. C. T. U. will speak on "Signs of Success."

One of the largest and loviest of the holiday parties was that given by H. J. Hall, and the Misses Helen and Marion Hall at the Country club Saturday evening. Christmas decorations predominated and were most attractively carried out in Christmas trees, holly wreaths and a red and green color scheme. The party especially honored Stanley Hall, of Chicago, who is in Lincoln to spend the Christmas week-end at his home. Other guests honored were Miss Hazel Erickson and Dewey Erickson of Chicago the house guests at the Hall home. Out-of-town guests at the party included, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Davis, Louis Metz, and Bob Wylie of Omaha; Kenneth Cozier, and Norman Nyce of Chicago; Jeanette Clark of Ravenna; J. n Rathburn of Fremont, Wilbur Fulloway of Omaha, and Modessa Wolfe of David City.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Weldon, 3250 Orchard street, were hosts to twenty-four friends on Saturday evening. The guests were former Palladian friends and Christmas decorations featured the party. Light refreshments were served by the hostess at a late hour.

Honoring her daughter, Mrs. Guy Reed, of Chicago, Mrs. E. J. Angle will entertain at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Country club on Tuesday noon. The guests will be seated at one large table for the luncheon and Christmas decorations in a red and green motif will carry out the appointments. The afternoon hours will be spent in bridge for which there will be five tables of players.

Miss Blanche Burt and her brother, Lloyd, entertained for twelve friends at bridge Saturday evening at their home, 1220 South Twenty-first street. Holiday suggestions were used in the rooms for decorations.

Mrs. George I. Burt and her daughter, Blanche, will compliment Miss Eunice Chapin of New York City, a bridge at their home, 1220 South Twenty-first street Tuesday. The guest list wild include sixteen.

Mrs. Estell Nordbella was hostess at a family Christmas dinner at her home, 2726 Sewell street, Friday evening. The list will include Mr. and Mrs. Rex LaFler, who leave January 2 for Miami, Fla., Coach and Mrs. Henry Schutle, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Holmes, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Andrus and Miss Nellie McNeff.

Honoring three girls home from school during the holidays, the Misses Ruth Hilton, Lois Lyell and Inez Westering, Miss Elizabeth Yule entertained at a bridge luncheon Saturday afternoon at her home, 2926 Randolph street. Covers were arranged for twenty at five tables prettily appointed with tall red tapers and other bridge appointments suggestive of the holiday season.

Gwendolyn Hager was a delightful hostess to sixteen of her friends Saturday afternoon at a bridge party complimentary to Frances Beery, who is leaving soon for Hollywood, Cal., to make here home. The party was given at the home of Miss Hager, 1980 C street. A large Christmas tree and red and green bells suggested a Christmas atmosphere in the rooms in which the guests were received and entertained. The refreshments were in keeping with Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knowlton entertained twenty-three at a family dinner Christmas day at their home, 2212 South Thirty-sixth street. The centerpiece was a miniature Christmas tree. Gifts were received from a fishing pond.

Mrs. Morris Roberts of Akron, Ohio, formerly Miss Mary Burnham, will be honoree at a 1 o'clock bridge luncheon given by Mrs. Willard Yates Wednesday at her home, 2019 South Twenty-fourth street. The guest list will include eight guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Estes had the following guests for 6 o'clock dinner at their home, Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Thompson of Council Bluffs, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brown of Omaha and L. W.

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FIRST BIRTHDAY



Photo by Agnew.

Donald Wayne Beeman celebrated his first birthday on December 11. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Beeman, 445 South Thirtieth street.

Is Year Old



Bernard Dale Leman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Leman, 2211 Sheldon street, celebrated his first birthday on December 24.

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Minimum Charge, 50c

Thrift Wash
Your bundle called for, carefully washed and the wearing apparel returned damp with all the flat work ironed.
The pound 7c
Minimum Charge, $1.00

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(Reorganized Church.)

Twenty-sixth and H streets. Elder Marcus M. Bilyue, pastor.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:45. Election of officers. Semon at 11 and study class at 6:30. Evening services at 7:30.

JEWISH.

The Jewish Temple, Twentieth and South streets. S. E. Starrels, rabbi.

FRIDAY—Sabbath services at 8. Rabbi Sterrils will speak on "Tolerance."

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN.

Twenty-sixth and P streets, Rev. S. S. Hilscher, pastor. John F. Ayres, superintendent of Sunday school.

SUNDAY—Dr. Hilscher will preach at 11 on "He came, and He Will Come Again." At the 5 o'clock vesper service there will be seventy-eight lantern pictures on "Persia, the Open Gate of Islam." Bible school at 10 and C. E. at 6:30, led by Miss Eleanore Crump.

WEDNESDAY — The Woman's Missionary society meets at 3. Mrs. E. E. Blackman, hostess and Mrs. Hilscher, leader. Mesdames Lawler and Crain, social chairmen. Committee, Mesdames Kaufman, Peterson, Ellis Peck, Stewart, Dart, Henderson Butcher, Voss, Snednen, Nelson Ayres and W. C. Thompson. Prayer meeting at 7:30 led by Dr. Hilscher who will speak on "The Peace of God."

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN.

Twenty-third and N streets.

SUNDAY—Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 and Christmas program by the Sunday school at 6.

SWEDISH EMANUEL.

Twentieth and G streets. Rev. C. H. B. Peterson, minister. Paul Toren, superintendent of Sunday school.

SUNDAY—Union service in English for church and Sunday school at 10:30, and young people meet at 5, led by Paul Toren. Evening service at 7:30. Sermon by Rev. August Anderson, formerly a missionary to Alaska.

WEDNESDAY—Annual meeting choir at 8, home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Anderson, 1518 C street.

THURSDAY—Annual church meeting at 8. Ladies' Aid will serve refreshments at the close. Watch night service begins at 11.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Thirteenth and L streets. Benjamin M. Nyce, minister.

SUNDAY—Bible school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Subject, "Thou Shalt See Greater Things Than These." Evening worship at 7:45. Subject, "The Home of the Soul." Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 5. Leader, Maxine Reynolds. Subject, 'Have I Made a Success This year?" No senior society meeting.

TUESDAY—Christmas party of the Woman's league. One o'clock luncheon with Mrs. Hubbard, 1909 F street. Assisting hostesses, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Sharpless, Mrs. Robert Lewins, Miss Griswell, Mrs. Busbey and Mrs. Parker.

WEDNESDAY—Church night at 7:30. The pastor will speak on "Take Courage for the New Year."

PEOPLE'S CITY MISSION.

124 South Ninth street. Fred Daniels, superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 2 and F. E. Linch's Bible class at vices with Evangelists Jeamby and Moon in charge.

Revival services every night during the week. Special music by a quartet.

FIRST PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL.

Sixteenth and A streets. Dr. John Andrew Holmes, pastor. Rev. Oliver Adams, associate.

SUNDAY — Teacher training class at 9 and at 10, Church school. Morning service at 11. Address on "World Court," by H. H. Wilson. Junior church in charge of the associate pastor, and kindergarten at the same hour. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Subject, "Making Good Our New Year's Resolutions." Robert Danielson, leader. Motion picture, "The Ruling Passion," at 7:30, under the direction of Dr. Holmes.

WEDNESDAY—Midweek meeting at 7:00. Miss Elizabeth Chapin, leader.

NEWMAN M. E.

753 J Streets. Rev. C. R. Ross, pastor. Geo. B. Evans, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:45. Dr. A. Spalding, retired missionary, will speak at 11. Willing Workers literary program at 3. Mrs. Elnora Evans, president. Epworth league at 7. Mrs. M. C. B. Ross, president. Sermon at 8.

MONDAY—Board meets at 7:30.

TUESDAY—Prayer meeting at 7:30.

WEDNESDAY—Choir rehearsal.

THURSDAY—Watch night services. W. H. Field and Mrs. Ida Hassel, leaders.

CALVARY EVANGELICAL

Eleventh and Garfield streets. F. A. Lenz, minister. G. S. Bancroft, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 10. Morning worship at 11. Subject, "After Christmas—What?" Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Musical program at 7:30.

TUESDAY—Meeting of old and new Sunday school boards at 7:30.

WEDNESDAY—Prayer service at 7:30.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL.

Tenth and New Hampshire streets. A. W. Saremba, minister.

SUNDAY—Morning service at 10. Subject, "All the Angels Worship Him." Lord's Supper after sermon. Young people at 6.

THURSDAY—New Year's eve services at 7:30. Subject, "The Home Seeking Soul." Installation of church officers after sermon.

FRIDAY—New Year's day services at 10:30.

BEULAH MISSION.

130 North Nineteenth street. Mary Moors, artist-evangelist, in charge of services.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 2. Services at 3 and 7:30.

Revival services every night at 7:30. Lectures illustrated with oil paintings.

UNITL SOCIETY OF PRACTICAL CHRISTIANITY.

502-4 Fraternity building, Thirteenth and N streets.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 10:30. Lesson talk at 11:15. Lecture at 8.

TUESDAY—"Spiritual House Keeping," Study class, at 2:30.

WEDNESDAY—Class sand healing meeting at 8. "Lessons in Truth."

FRIDAY—Class in "Christian Healing," at 8.

GRACE METHODIST.

Twenty-seventh and R streets. Dr. F. F. Travis, pastor. L. I. Frisbie, superintendent of Sunday school, and Prof Herbert Gray, chorister. Mrs. C. W. Fleming, organist.

SUNDAY—Bible school at 9:45 and morning worship at 10:55. Communion. Epworth league at 6:30, and at 7:30, evening services.

WEDNESDAY — WFMS with Mrs. C. N. Cadwallader, 2627 N street, at 2:30. Boy Scouts and Bible study at 7:30.

LATTER DAY SAINTS.
(Church of Jesus Christ)

Odd Fellows' hall, Eleventh and L streets.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 10:30. Special Christmas exercises at 7:30. Elder Franklin Badger. Subject, "Christ's Birth and Life In the Eastern Hemispher.." Sister Pearl Fielding. Subject, "Christ In the Western Hemisphere." Elder C. Lister. Subject, "The Teaching of Christ."

FIRST LUTHERAN.

Near Thirteenth and K streets. Rev. D. Verner Swanson, pastor. Prof. O. W. Sjorgren, superintendent of Sunday school.

SUNDAY—Swedish Bible class and Sunday school at 10. Brotherhood Bible class at 10:15 and at 11:15, morning worship in English. Every member canvass for pledges at 3 and at 7:30, program by the Sunday school, on "The Gift of Love."

TUESDAY — Woman's Mission society at church, 2:30. Mrs. Joseph Johnson, hostess.

THURSDAY—New Year's program and watch night service beginning at 9. Illustrated lecture by Rev. Alfred Trued of China.

EMMANUEL METHODIST.

Fifteenth and U streets. Rev. Charles P. Lang, pastor. Andrew Wanner, superintendent of Sunday school

SUNDAY—Church school at 10. Subject, "The Manifestation of God In the World." Theme for morning worship at 11, "Sailing Forth Under Sealed Orders." Epworth devotionals at 6:30 led by Hershel Reynolds. Evening worship at 7:30. Chalk talk, "New Year." Sermon topic, "Ben David, Who Neglected to Find the Child." Resolve for the new year: "Not to Break Our Good Resolutions."

VINE CONGREGATIONAL.

Twenty-fifth and Vine streets. Rev. Ervine Inglis, minister. W. T. Page, superintendent of Sunday school.

SUNDAY—Church school at 9:45 and morning worship at 11. Sermon by the pastor on "The Solitude of the Soul." High school league at 6:30, led by Sue Field. Endeavor at the same hour led by Genevieve McCaig. Evening worship at 7:30 on "What Do You Expect?"

WEDNESDAY—Third division, 1 o'clock covered dish luncheon at the church.

THURSDAY—Watch night party at 9. For the entire church. First division with Mrs. Myers, 647 South Twenty-seventh street, afternoon.

JANUARY 3—Installation of church officials.

TRINITY LUTHERAN.

Thirteenth and H streets. (Missouri synod.) H. J. Eggold, pastor.

SUNDAY—Sunday school and Bible school at 9:15. English serice at 10. German service at 11. Bible hour at 7.

MONDAY—Sunday school teachers' at 7:30.

TUESDAY—Lecture course for adults at 8.

WEDNESDAY—Senior Walther league at 8. Announcement to communion in German for next Sunday received in the vestry from 7 to 9.

THURSDAY—English service at 8.

FRIDAY—Srvice in English at 10 German service at 11.

WARREN METHODIST.

Fourth and L streets, University Place, A. K. Williams, pastor. Prof. H. Filley, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Epworth and high school leagues at 6:30. The choir will give a Christmas cantata, "Tidings of Great Joy," by E. L. Ashford, at 7:30.

FIRST CHRISTIAN SPIRITUALIST.

Odd Fellows' Hall, Eleventh and L streets.

SUNDAY—Services at 7:45. Subject, "Idolatry."

WEDNESDAY—Intellectual study class meets at 7:30, 1432 R street. Students invited. Subject, "Mediumship and Physical Susceptability."

SECOND METHODIST.

Fifteenth and M streets. J. A. Klein, pastor, Sunday school superintendendt.

SUNDAY—Class meeting at 10. Morning worship at 10:30. Subject, "How May We Form a Correct Estimate of Life?" Sunday school at 11:30. Epworth league at 7. Discussion of, "The Wisdom of Remembering."

WEDNESDAY—Midweek service at 7:30.

FIRST CHRISTIAN.

Fourteenth and M streets. Ray E. Hunt, minister.

SUNDAY—Church school at 9:45. Oberlies class at the Lindell hotel; young people at the city library; high school at the Y. W. C. A. All other departments at their regular places in the church building. Morning worship at 10:50. Sermon topic, "Life's Open Doors." Vesper service at 4:30. Special musical program by the church choir assisted by soloists. No social hour or discussion group for young people, and no evening service.

FRIDAY—Dr. and Mrs. Ray E. Hunt will keep open house for all members of First church, and friends, from 3 to 5 and 7 to 10 at the home, 1604 South Twentieth street.

OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN.

Twelfth and D streets. (Missouri synod.) P. C. Krey, pastor.

SUNDAY—Services at 11 and 7:30. Sunday school and Bible class at 10.

TUESDAY—Christmas social for the congregation and friends at 8 in the church parlor.

TRINITY METHODIST.

Sixteenth and A streets. L. M. Grigsby, pastor. H. G. Taylor, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Theme, "Go Forward." Senior and high school leagues at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30.

WEDNESDAY—Midweek prayer service at 7:30.

GRACE ENGLISH LUTHERAN.

Fourteenth and F streets. Charles S. Bream, pastor. J. H. Humpe, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Church school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Subject, "Wise Men Worship Jesus." Luther league devotional at 6:45. Evening worship at 7:30. Luther league business meeting and social at 7:30.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN.

Sixteenth and R streets. Rev. S. M. Morrow, minister. C. C. Gilkerson, Sunday sci ol superintendent.

SUNDAY—Morning worship at 11. Theme, "Our Ever-Living Leader." Evening worship at 7:30. Theme, "The Splendid Issue of Faithful Guardianship." Sabbath school at 10. Y. P. C. U. at 6:30. Topic, "Press On!" Junior Y. P. C. U. at 3:30.

WEDNESDAY — Prayer meeting at 8. Subject, "Wishes for the New Year." Young people will lead.

MARTIN LUTHER.

Twenty-seventh and Garfield streets. Rev. L. Grauenhorst, pastor.

SUNDAY—German service at 2:30. English service at 7:30. Sunday school at 1:30.

FIRST METHODIST.

University Place. Dr. A. J. Croft pastor. Prof. F. M. Gregg, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 10:45. Theme, "The Day After Christmas." Junior church at 10:50. Monthly missionary story by Miss Jeter. Class meeting at noon. W. D. Myers, leader. Epworth and high school leagues at 6:45. Evening worship at 7:45. Christmas pageant, "The Festival of Light." Cast of forty under the direction of Mrs. R. E. Harrington.

SECOND BAPTIST.

Twenty-eighth and S streets. Henry G. Smith, minister.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Program in charge of laymen. Young people meet at 6:30. Stereopticon pictures at 7:30.

WEDNESDAY—Prayer meeting at 7:30.

PROGRESSIVE SPIRITUAL ALLIANCE.

Knights of Pythias hall, 1210 P Street.

SUNDAY—Song service at 7:30 eld by Lloyd Archer, evangelistic singer, and Curtis Duffield. Lecture by Rev. Dora Blake. Subject "The Prodigal Son," followed by a message meeting. Mrs. Ada Bisbing will psychometrise.

QUINN CHAPEL METHODIST

Ninth and C streets. Rev. M. C. Knight, pastor. Mrs. John Collins, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:30. Sermon at 11. Theme, "God's Wagons." Allen C. E. league at 6:30. Sermon at 7:30. Subject, "Shifting the Blame."

MONDAY—Ladies' Aid with Mrs. R. E. Knight, 1225 South Ninth street. Mrs. Sarah Walker, president.

TUESDAY—Prayer and class meeting at 8. Mrs. Eva Lyons will lead. Subject of scripture by pastor, "Closing." Special singing.

THURSDAY—Board meets, at 8. Sermon at 11 p. m. Subject, "Self-Seeing." Testimonials.

FRIDAY—Teacher's meet at 8.

SWEDISH METHODIST.

Eighteenth and J streets. A. W. Lundeen, minister. Clara Johnson, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 10. Junior church service at 11. Morning worship. Sermons by pastor at 11 and 7. Services at 3 in Havelock.

WEDNESDAY—Dorcas society at 3 with Mrs. C. A. Wiren, 1315 South Twenty-seventh street.

FIRST BAPTIST.

Fourteenth and K streets. Rev. Herbert Ford, acting pastor. Albert S. Johnston, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Morning worship at 10:30. Subject, "Altering the Past." Bible school at noon. Young people's social half hour at 6. Senior and junior B. Y. P. U. will follow. Evening worship at 7. Baptism. The pastor will speak on "A Prophet Homespun."

MONDAY—Deacons and deaconesses meet at 7 at the church. Scouts meet at the same time.

WEDNESDAY—No service.

THURSDAY—Watch night service at 8.

ST. PAUL METHODIST.

Twelfth ad M streets. Dr. Walter Aitken, minister. Wendell Berg, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Subject, "Present Religious Conflicts." Class meeting at the close of the morning service. Epworth league at 6:45. Evening sermon at 7:45. Subject, "A Rich Fool's Epitaph."

MONDAY—Boy Scouts at 7:30.

WEDNESDAY—South Side circle at 2:30. Bible study hour at 7:30.

TABERNACLE CHRISTIAN.

Twenty-second and South streets. A. J. Hollingworth, minister.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 945. Morning worship at 11. Rev. Hollingsworth will preach his farewell sermon. C. E. at 615. Evening worship 7:30 Special orchestra and musical program dedicated to the pastor and his wife. A short address will be given by Rev. Hollingsworth. The musical program:

Tannhauser—March, R. Wagner.
Orchestra.
Violin Sole—"Romance," Wieniawecki Gertrude Giermann.
"Elegie"—J. Massenet.
Orchestra.
Mariruba Sole—(a) "Aloha Oe"; (b) "My Wild Irish Rose." This number is dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. Hollingsworth.
Frank Brownson
"Vorspiel to Lohengrin" R. Wagner
Orchestra

Offertory—"Ave Maria" Bach-Gounod, Gertrude Giermann, violin; Gladys Beyette, cello; Frank Brownson, violin; Ray Ryerson, contra bass.

Quartet—"Still, Still with Thee." Baines, Mrs. Lola Henline, soprano; Mr. J. H. Davis, tenor; Mrs. C. E. McMunn, Davis, tenor; Mrs. C. A. McMunn, alto; Mr. George Calvert, bass.—Pianist, Donald Loder.

Due to the illness of Mrs. Ranum, who had been directing the pageant to have been given Christmas eve, the program had to be changed. Mrs. Ada Malcolm and nine of her pupils gave a playet entitled "The Christmas Guest," and one of the pupils gave a reading, "Ruggles Christmas Dinner."

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

Twenty-third and Garfield streets. Paul Covey Johnston, minister

SUNDAY—Church school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Subject, "The Beauty of Holiness." Broadcasting Christmas music from KFAB at 4. Christian Endeavor at 6:15. O. B. Anderson, speaker.

MONDAY—Sheridan Men's club at 6:30. Judge W. H. Thompson will lecture on "The Nebraska Capitol."

WEDNESDAY—Junior travel club at 4. Midweek service at 7:45; continuing the study of Jeremiah."

THURSDAY—Christian Endeavor watch party at the church, 9.

BUTLER AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL.

Twelfth street and Butler avenue. Rev. Rosa A. (Lizenby) Robb, minister.

SUNDAY—Morning worship at 10. Bible school at 11. Junior C. E. at 2:15. Intermediate C. E. at 7. Evening service at 7:45.

FRIDAY—First Church annual meeting. Dinner at 6. Program and meeting at 7:30.

HAVELOCK CONGREGATIONAL.

Hugh Clifford Van Valkenburgh, pastor. John Hollander, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 10. Morning worship at 11. Subject, "The Great Inventory." Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Christmas cantata, "The Angelic Chorus," at 7:30, by the choir. The program will consist of solos, duets and choruses.

The next meeting of the Men's club will be held January 12. L. C. Oberlies will be the speaker. Special music and lunch.

UNIVERSITY EPISCOPAL.

Thirteenth and R streets. Rev. L. W McMillin, priest in charge.

SUNDAY—Fast or St. John, the evangilist. Communion at 8:30. Matins at 10:30. Choral, eucharist and sermon at 11.

FRIDAY—There will be no service New Year's Day.

ALL SOULS UNITARIAN.

Twelfth and H streets. Dr. G. O. Virtue, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 10. Church services at 11. Rev. J. B. M. Buckner wil preach on "Jesus the Light of the World."

UNITED BRETHERN.

Calvary, 2829 South Thirteenth street S. M. Snider, pastor. E. R. Mockett, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:45. Worship and sermon by the pastor at 11. Theme, "The Supreme Offering." Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 5:30. Dick Campbell, leader. Senior Endeavor at 6:30. At 7:30 the pastor will hear reports from Bible readers and preach on "The Effect of Drifting."

WEDNESDAY—Midweek service at 7:30. Subject, "What the Year 1925 Meant To Me."

UNITED BRETHERN.

Caldwel Memorial, Eighteenth and M streets. S. A. Jessee, pastor. Mrs. J. W. Hargreaves, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:45 Sermon and worship at 11. C. E. at 6:30. Sermon and worship at 7.30.

WEDNESDAY—Prayer and Bible study at 7:45.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.
(Delta Lodge)

514 Fraternity building, Thirteenth and N streets.

SUNDAY—Meeting at 4.

TEMPLE BAPTIST

Twenty-seventh and Holdrege streets. Rev. J. W. MacDoniels, minister. O. H. Jacobson, Sunday school superintendent.

SUNDAY—Church school at 9:45. Junior meeting at 10:45. Worship with sermon at 11. Subject, "Not far From the Kingdom." B. Y. P. U. at 6:45. Evening worship at 7:45.

MONDAY—The deacons and the deaconess meets in the evening with Rev. and Mrs. MacDoniels, 2972 Orchard street.

WEDNESDAY—Midweek meeting at 7:45. The Woman's organization meets in the afternoon with Mrs. Rymer.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN.

Eleventh and Plum streets. Fr. Rabe, pastor.

SUNDAY—Preparatorv service at 10. Service and sermon at 10:30. Holy communion.

THURSDAY— New Year's eve service at 7:30. New Year service at 10:30.

ELM PARK METHODIST.

E. L. Hobbs, minister.

SUNDAY—Sunday school at 9:45. Sermon by the pastor at 11. Subject, "The Call of the New Year." Epworth league at 6:30. Sermon at 7:30. Subject, "The Meaning of Value of Time."

WEDNESDAY—Midweek service at 7:45.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
(First Church of Christ)

Twelfth and L streets.

SUNDAY—Services at 11 and 8. Subject, "Christian Science." Sunda school for pupils from 9 to 20 years old at 10; and for those 3 to 9 years old at 11.

WEDNESDAY—Evening service including testimonies of healing at 8 p. m.

Christian Science reading rooms, second floor Funke building, Twelfth and O streets, open each week day from 9:30 to 9, except Wednesday when they close at 7:30.

New Books at the City Library

The following new books have been received at the City Library and will be ready for circulation Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Agriculture.

A history of agriculture in Europe and America, by Norman S. B. Brien Gras.

Architecture.

The Indian style of architecture—by C. M. Remey.

Biology.

Daedalus; or, Science and the future, by J. B. S. Haldane.

The science of biology, by G. G. Scott.

Birds.

Birds of the Pacific coast, by Willary Ayres Eliot.

Field book of birds of the southwestern United States, by Luther E. Wyman.

Clothings.

The smartly dressed woman; how she does it, by Emily Burbank.

Constitution.

The Constitution of the United States, by Thomas J. Norton.

Faith.

Faith and success, by Basil King.

Gauguin.

Gauguin, by Robert Rey.

Hamilton.

The vanished pomps of yesterday, by Frederick S. Hamilton.

Hudson.

Letters from W. H. Hudson, 1901-1922, edited and with an introduction by Edward Garnett.

Industry.

The control of industry, by D. H. Robertson.

Labor's money, by Richard Boeckel.

Langtry.

The days I knew, by Lillie Langtry.

Literature.

American and British literature since 1890. by C. C. Van Doren.

The newer spirit; by V. F. Calverton.

Prose and poetry of the revolution, edited by F. C. Prescott.

Mental Tests.

Mental tests and the classroom teacher, by Virgil E. Dickson.

Moving Pictures.

When the movies were young, by Mrs. D. W. Griffith.

Negro Songs.

The negro and his songs, by H. W. Odum.

Photography.

The amateur photographer's new handbook, by A. F. Collins.

Plays.

A guide to longer plays, compiled by Frank Shay.

The wonder hat, and other one-act plays, by Kenneth S. Goodman.

Russia.

An ambassador's memoirs, by M. Paleologue. Volume 3.

Travel.

Discussions on travel, by Osbert Sitwell.

Mesa, canon and pueblo, by C. F. Lummis.

Voyages around the world, by Dale Collins.

The spell of Algeria and Tunisia, by Francisco Mansfield.

Fiction.

Acquittal, by Hlen Simpson.

Fishmonger's fiddle, by A. E. Coppard.

Futility, by William Gerhardi.

Gentleman riches, by Mrs. L. (P.) Borden.

Half told tales, by Henry Van Dyke.

My Tower in Desmond, by S. R. Lysaght.

Omar; the tentmaker, by Nathan H. Dole.

The pastor's son, by William W. Walter.

Thetroubl e maker, by E. R. Eastman.

Children's Books.

A book of boyhoods, by Eugenie M. Fryer.

A boy of Bruges, by Emile Cammaerts and Mme. T. (B.) Cammaerts.

The boys' book of chemistry, by C. B. Clarke.

Boys' book of cowboys, by Tilden Tilford.

The boy's life of General Grant, by W. O. Stevens.

The cart of many colors; a story of Italy, by Mrs. Nannine Meikle-John.

The fat of the cat, by KG. Keller.

Jungle beasts and man, by D. G. Mukerpl.

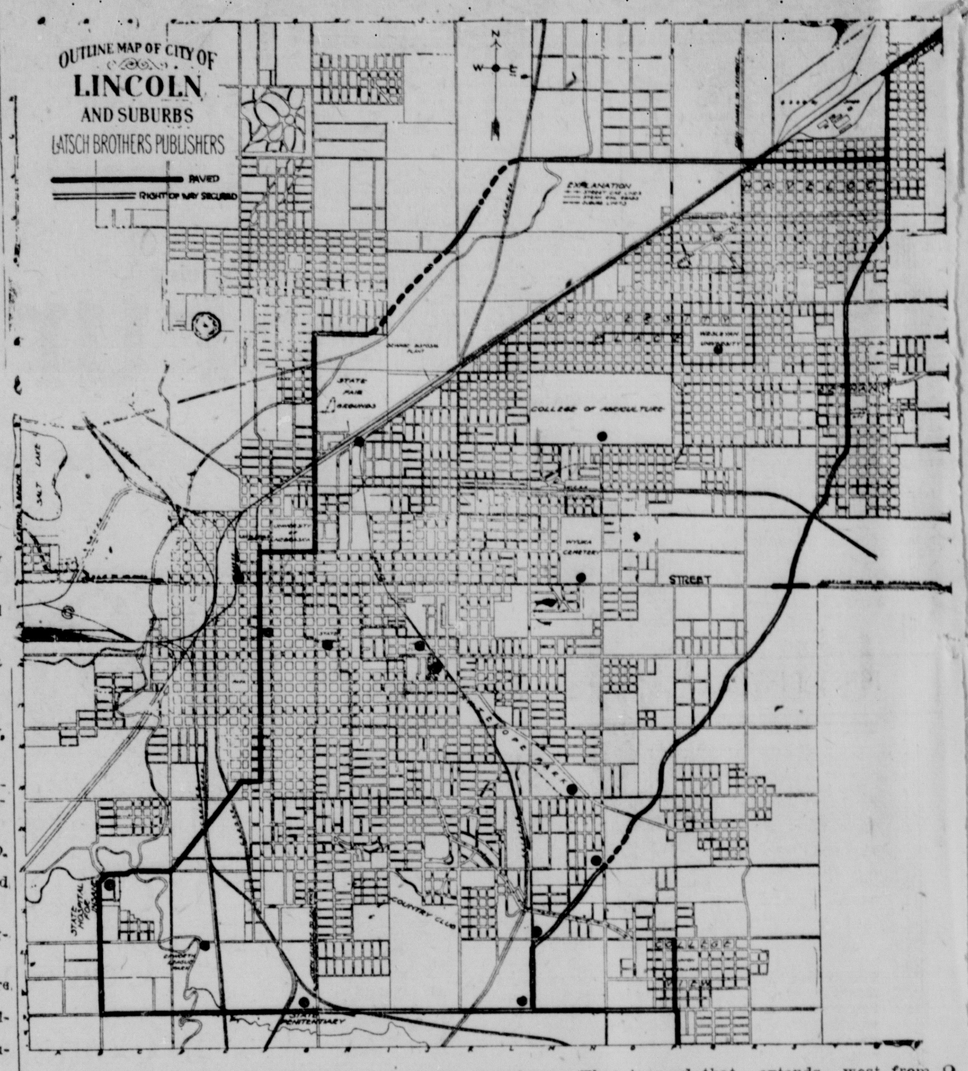
Og-son of fire, by Irving Crump

Our country's beginnings, by H. N. Sherwood.

Santa Claus in summer, by C. Mackenzie.

Shoemaker's shoes, by Mary W Thompson.

Dream of Boulevard Circling Lincoln Is Realized In Arthur Edgren's Plan



Lincoln's long unfilled dream of a boulevard system surrounding the city will soon be a reality if plans drawn by County Engineer Art Edgren are materialized as soon as he anticipates.

By next fall, he hopes, the circuit will be complete. Not all of the road will have been paved by that time but all will be laid out and graded—made passable for the hundreds of tourists and the thousands of residents here who would make a grand tour of the city of Lincoln.

Much of the route is already paved. That shown in black on the map above is now open road, surfaced with brick or asphant. Not all of it is in the jurisdiction of the county engineer, that is, outside the city limits, but all in time will be connected and brought into the great loop that Mr. Edgren has laid out.

As complete as it is, however, Mr. Edgren's scheme does not take in the ultimate development contemplated. The western side of his loop now runs up Ninth and Fourteenth streets. Sometime in the future it will be extended a couple miles west, beyond Capital Beach and the railroad shops. That is still a dream, like the loop itself was, but a year of two ago.

Starting at its northeast corner, let us follow the route of the boulevard from end to end. That corner is at Twenty-second and O streets in Havelock. Going eight blocks south on a street already laid out, it then curves southward on land as yet unacquired. On this map, paved road is shown as a solid line; dirt road or land to which title has been acquired as a double line; and the proposed route where title has not yet been acquired as dotted line. Of the latter, less than a mile now exists.

Some of the intersections which it touches are Linden and Randolph, A and Harrison, South near Forty-fifth; Fortieth near Van Dorn. Finally it reaches the penitentiary road at Thirty-third street.

From there it is an easy route to the Penitentiary loop, and back again via Park Boulevard to South Ninth street. Ninth street is followed to R street, then Fourteenth to the other side of Oak creek. Another innovation will be the highway following Salt creek up to the road that extends west from O street in Havelock.

One great feature of this plan will be Cotner boulevard stretching across south Lincoln. A wide, smooth highway, leading to the northeast will mean ready access for residents from all parts of town to the Omaha road and to the northern suburbs. No longer will tourists have to follow O street or Holdrege as their sole routes. Directions to visitors will be—"Go east to the boulevard an d follow it out."

Along this boulevard will be placed permanent signs with hands pointing in the direction of the object mentioned. State Hospital, Reformatory, High School, Tourists' Camp, Coprt House, Burlington Depot, Nebraska Wesleyan and some of them which will make the road of visitors smooth.

Progress made so far, including the miles of right of way acquired for Cotner boulevard, has cost the county practically nothing. Property owners have been glad to deed over their land, thankful that such an improvement as a through boulevard has come their way.


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Announcing
The Formal Opening of
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At 10th and C streets is located Lincoln's new Funeral Home, up-to-date in every respect and operating under the personal management of an experienced funeral director. This Home has been organized with a view to better serving Lincoln people.

Mr. Jack Krobien, who has for a number of years been associated with the Lincoln firms of Henry Brown and Splain and Schnell is giving his personal attention to directing the operating of the home. Mr. Krobien's experience in ambulance work places him well in the front in that end of his profession as well.

The Home is operating a beautiful new Studebaker ambulance which will answer all calls promptly. These calls will be given only the most careful personal attention.

It is the intention of this organization to give the same thoughtful consideration that would be shown by relatives or friends, and to furnish Lincoln a funeral home which will more than meet its expectations.

You Are Cordially Invited to Visit Our Home at Your Convenience.
Ambulance Service *Call B2424*
KROBLEN GOLDSTEIN & UMBERGER CO.
10th and C Streets



Who is Lincoln's Cinderella



RULES OF THE CONTEST

Measurements must be taken at Official stores advertising below: No cost or obligation of any kind is attached. Every girl and woman eligible to enter. Judges will judge from measurements slips compared to perfect foot measurements compiled by NATIONAL SHOE RETAILERS ASSOCIATION. Size of foot does not matter. Perfect proportions are judged. Stores will turn in duplicate slips to Lincoln Theatre—original slips to be retained by entrant. Any person entering from two different stores will be disqualified.

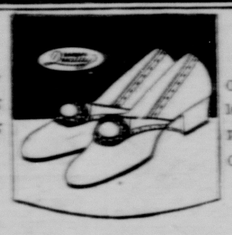
Unique contest staged by the Lincoln Theatre in connection with the popular picture "A Kiss for Cinderella", which is to appear at the Lincoln Theatre the week of December 28

You might be Cinderella! Call on your shoe man this week! Contest closes New Year's eve!

Queen Quality

In a Special

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A very Popular Style Now Being Favored during this Cinderella week.

Other styles and leathers are also placed in this Cinderella week.

This black Calf Pump with oxidized ornament offers a very late feature in correct footwear. Sizes are from 4 to 7 and widths AA to C. You will find it a pump that will give comfort and grace to the most exacting. Special Cinderella price. $6.00

Many other styles and patterns are included in this special Cinderella week at a special price of $6.00.

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"Isis" is one of the latest designs for early spring. A beautiful patent tie with fancy cut-out patterns. The dressy Spanish heels enhance its beauty.

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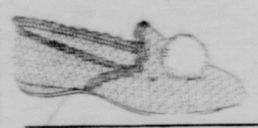
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"Any Shoe In The Store"
Hosiery to Match



Monday Special

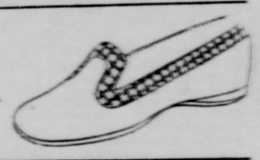
Felt Slippers for Ladies. Final Cleanup.

Two Pairs $1

Men's Felt Slippers

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Pair Ladies Low Shoes in Oxfords, Strap and Ties, mostly sizes 3 to 6

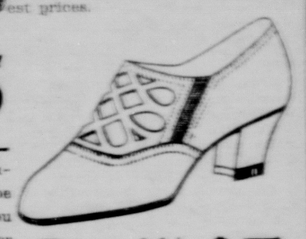
Galashes		Silk Hosiery
$2.98	Kinney Shoes	2 pairs
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$3.98	1024 "O" St.	

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This model in patent..... $5



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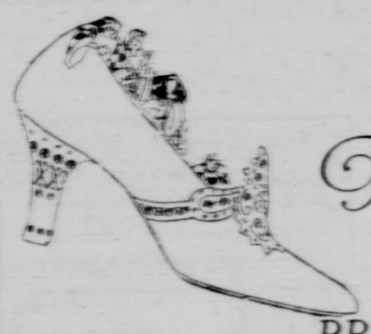
The Shoes for Cinderella

And thousands of other Shoes and Slippers to fit every foot in Lincoln. Whether you are Cinderella or just you, Budd's can fit your feet to make you feel as a Cinderella should.

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To The Most Perfect Foot

WINNERS TO BE ANNOUNCED AT THE LINCOLN THEATRE, SATURDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 2, 1926.

PRIZES TO BE AWARDED

The seven Lincoln Cinderellas (picked by competent disinterested judges) will receive the following prizes.

Grand prize—Weeks contract at the Lincoln Theater with regular salary.

$25 cash if she does not care to appear in person.

Marcel at the Griffen Beaute Shoppe, 3 pound box Della Thorne Chocolates donated by the Della Thorn Candy Shops.

Set of Book Ends by George Bros. (the Gift Store).

One pair of shoes from the store that took her measurements.

Second prize—To the lady awarded second place. Manicure at the Giffen Beaute Shop. Pair of shoes from the store taking her measurements.

Third Prize—Hair cut from the Giffen Beaute Shoppe. Pair of shoes from store taking her measurements.

Fourth Prize—Pair of shoes from the store taking her measurements.

Fifth Prize—Pair of shoes from the store taking her measurements .

Sixth Prize—Pair of shoes from the store taking her measurements.

Seventh Prize—Pair of shoes from the store taking her measurements.

Every one of the seven winners will receive two tickets to the Lincoln Theater good for the "KISS for CINDERELLA" show on Saturday night—January 2, 1926.

The Firms on This Page Are Entered in This Contest. Have Your Feet Measured by Them. There is no cost or obligation.

Courtesy Days

Following our usual custom we will sell our shoes at the same prices that will be quoted in our January Clearance Sale.

You may select any man's or woman's shoe in our stock at 20% discount. By coming in before the public announcement of our sale you will avoid the crowds and be assured of a complete stock in your size.

MAGEE'S

We make Cinderellas!

The beauties and contour of the human foot coupled with its strength to perform the functions for which it was created caused the ancient Greeks to glorify it in song and to sanctify it in art. Medically and surgically it has always been a negligible factor in the realm of science, notwithstanding the burdens which it is made to bear and in spite of the interference with locomotion and with general health which this non-care has occasioned for all centuries since creation. Our profession recognizes the importance of this part of the anatomy and our aim is to cause the race to realize the need for foot care in health and for scientific foot treatment in disease.

DRS. GARTNER
FOOT TREATMENT

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Every
Modern Cinderella
Loves
Della Thorne
CANDY

Because it is made in Lincoln in our studio from the finest ingredients in "Ye Olde Time" way.

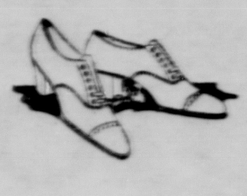


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Besides Your--- **"Fancy" Shoes**



EVEN if you use other shoes for dancing or on extremely formal occasions, why not enjoy easy foot comfort at other times?

You can be wearing the

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Because it is correctly and sensibly designed to fit the foot instead of trying to force your foot to fit an artificial shoe.

Yet the styles, while not extreme, are pleasing and decidedly smart.

The special Cantilever arch, for instance, allows the foot to flex in walking as it would in your hose, though giving ample support.



The naturally shaped sole, slightly raised and extended heel and other features further add to their comfort.

A pair of Cantilever oxfords for walking and general use, and of the very modish Cantilever strap pumps for more dressy occasions, will add so much to your comfort. The prices are low, considering the quality and service.

Cantilever Shoes Make Perfect Feet

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Modern Madame

Trips Along with Dame Fashion Only One Tiny Step in the Lead

Bobs! Oh my yes!
Bobs by Day and Coiffures by Night.

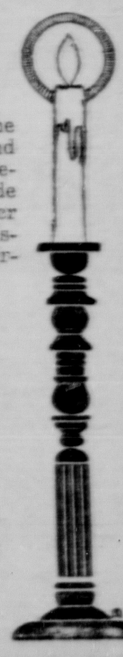
is the styles now set by Dame Fashion and Madame and Madamoiselle are not a pace behind. Curls and coiffures made of soft, silky hair are work after the outstanding figures of history. They are period hairdresses.

Ah, how beautiful!

And nowhere can these evening coiffures be found in greater variety and at more reasonable prices than Madame and Mademoiselle will find at the

Giffen Beaute Shoppe
1340 M St. B3273

A marcel will be given to the Cinderella winning first prize. To Cinderella of second prize a manicure and Cinderella of third prize a perfect haircut.



RADIO

AMERICAN D-X CONTEST FEATURE OF RADIO WEEK

Fans Will Hear Distant U. S. Stations While Locals Remain Silent.

International Celebration Includes Similar Tests With Foreign Sets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—An American d-x contest which will be participated in by broadcasting stations in every state in the union as well as by Canadian and Mexican stations, will be one of the features of International Radio week, January 24 to 30, according to announcement by officials of the committee who have charge of the movement.

The first five nights of the week will be devoted to international radio broadcasting tests, American grams to overseas listeners from 9 to 10, central standard time; while American listeners will hear special programs from overseas stations from 10 to 11, central standard time, while American, Canadian and Mexican stations remain silent.

On Friday, January 29, at the customary silent hour, a variation in the plan of broadcasting will be made and instead of listening to broadcasting in Europe, radio fans in the country will hear, for the first fifteen minutes of the silent hour, broadcasting stations in the eastern standard time zone. Promptly at the conclusion of the first fifteen minutes of the silent hour, the eastern time zone stations will be silent, and broadcasters in the central standard time zone will be on the air. The third fifteen minutes period of the hour will be devoted to stations in the mountain standard time zone, while the last fifteen minutes will be reserved for Pacific coast stations.

Continental Test.

On Saturday, January 30, another variation of the d-x contest will be arranged, and after the conclusion of the hour broadcast from all American stations for the benefit of overseas listeners, broadcasting stations in Canada will have the air exclusively to themselves during the first fifteen minutes of the silent hour. Then broadcasting in the northern half of the United States will begin while the Canadian stations shut down for the remaining forty-five minutes of the test hour. The third quarter of the hour will be devoted to stations in the southern half of the United States while the last quarter of the silent hour will bring Mexican and Cuban stations on the air to entertain listeners throughout the American continent.

Special programs are planned by broadcasters who will participate in these North American continent tests, programs that will permit of the frequent announcement of call letters so the fan can rapidly log the d-x stations that may come into his receiver for the first time. Local radio clubs in many cities are arranging contests, according to the radio week committee, and prizes will be offered by newspapers and clubs in some cases for the best log arranged by listeners in their own communities.

A complete log of the programs broadcast from overseas will be kept by the International Radio week committee, and every effort will be made to secure also complete logs of American broadcasters who are on the air during the special tests on Friday and Saturday. Broadcasters participating have themselves to acknowledge all reports and claims of reception from distant fans, and it is expected that many thousands of people will hear stations this week that are normally not in the range of their sets because of local station interference.

Time Signal.

Program directors in all broadcasting stations will set their watches by the Arlington time signal each night of the test, and it is expected that perfect harmony will be found in the air for the benefit of fans reaching out for new distance records.

Because of broadcasters in widely separated parts of the country operating on the same wave leng h it will be easy for fans to tune to a local station and bring their receivers into sharp tune at the time just before the tests start, and then wait for the distant station to come in at the exact dial setting of the local. In England standard signals will be sent for the benefit of local listeners wishing to tune their receivers sharply, and so the British fans will be prepared for the overseas stations broadcasting on the same frequency as that of the British test station.

International Radio week is now in its fourth year, and steadily grows in popularity with the public, according to the committee heads. The movement ha sthe endorsement of practically every radio trade body in the country, Powel Crosley, jr., of Cincinnati, heading the executive committee. Other officers are Paul B. Klugh, executive chairman of the National Association of Broadcasters, heading the committee on American broadcasting; Arthur Lynch eidtor of Radio Broadcast, heading the tets committee; Herbert H. Frost, preisdent of the Radio Manufacturers association, heading the committee of manufacturers.

RADIOGRAMS.

One of the radio features in England next year will be rebroadcasting from London and other foreign cities.

Radio Programs

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27.

(A. M., heavy figures; P. M. light figures)
(Central Standard Time.)
(Compiled by United Press.)

KDKA, East Pittsburgh—309.1.
10:0.—Morning service.
3:00—Organ recital; Vespers.
5:3c—Dinner concert.
6:45—Evening services.

KGO, Oakland—361.2.
1:00—Trinity church service.
5:3c—KGO Little symphony.
9:15—Evenings services.

KOA, Denver—322.4.
Noon—Morning services.
4:c0—Afternoon music hour.
8:45—Handel's "Messiah."

KPSN, Pasadena—315.6.
10:45—Evening concert.

KSD, St. Louis—545.1.
6:15—Program from WEAF.

KWKC, Cedar Rapids—277.8.
11:c0—Morning services.
5:0c—Afternoon concert.

KYW, Chicago—535.4.
11:0c—Central church service.
2:3c—Studio chapel service.
4:3c—Studio concert.
7:0c—Sunday Evening club.

WBZ, Springfield, Mass.—331.1.
9:45—Morning services.
6:00—Copley Plaza orchestra.
7:00—Ford Hall Forum.

WCAE, Pittsburgh—461.3.
5:30—William Penn orchestra.
6:20—Program from WEAF.

WCAP—Washington—168.5.
10:c0—Morning services.
3:0c—Chapel services.
6:20—Program from WEAF.

WCBD—Zion, Ill.—344.6.
8:00—Sunday evening concert.

WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul—416.4.
10:5c—Morning services.
1:45—Young People's conference.
4:10—House of Hope services.
6:20—Evening services.
8:15—Rosa Low and B. Gigli.

WEAF, New York—491.5.
1:00—Sunday radio service.
2:00—Young Folk's conference.
2:45—Dr. Cadman's conference.
6:20—Capitol theatre.
8:15—Rosa Low, soprano, and Benjamino Gigli, tenor.

WEAR, Cleveland—389.4.
2:30—WEAR Concert orchestra.
6:00—Orchestra; Fireside Hour.
7:3c—VincentPercy organist.
8:15—Rosa Low and B. Gigli.

WEEI, Boston—348.6.
9:50—Morning services.
1:30—Organ recital.
:45—Dr. S. Parkes Cadman.
6:20—Program from WEAF.

WFAA, Dallas—475.9.
2:30—Hour for farmers.
6:30—Radio Bible class.
7:30—Evening services.
8:30—Earle Jackson singers.
9:30—Grace Little Symphony.

WGR, Buffalo—319.0.
2:00—Vesper services.
6:45—Evening services.
8:15—Rosa Low and B. Gigli.

WGY, Schenectady—379.5.
9:45—Morning services.
4:00—Organ recital.
6:00—Carillon; Services.
8:00—Program from WJZ.

WHO, Des Moines—526.0.
11:00—Morning services.
7:30—Reese-Hughes orchestra.

WIP, Philadelphia—508.2.
9:45—Morning services.
3:00—Germantown YMCA.

WJAR, Providence—305.9.
6:20—Program from WEAF.

WJZ, New York—454.3.
8:00—Children's hour.
10:c0—Morning services.
1:30—Sunday Radio Forum.
2:30—Yale Divinity school.
3:c0—St. George Vespers.
6:00—Carillon; Orchestra.
6:30—Evening concert program.
9:00—Godfrey Ludlow, violin.

WLS, Chicago—344.6.
6:00—Prelude.
7:00—Church service.

WLW, Cincinnati—422.3.
9:30—Sunday school.
11:c0—Morning services.
3:00—Organ recital.
7:30—Evening services.
8:30—Concert orchestra.

WOAW, Omaha—526.0.
9:c0—Morning services.
2:30—Matinee concert.
6:00—Bible study hour.
9:00—Evening services.

WOC, Davenport—483.6.
1:00—WOC Little Symphony.
6:30—Vesper services.
8:15—Rosa Low and B. Gigli.

WOO, Philadelphia—508.2.
1:30—Sunday school.
5:00—Organ recital.
6:30—Evening services.
8:15—Rosa Low and B. Gigli.

WPG, Atlantic City—299.8.
2:15—Organ recital.
3:15—Community chorus.
8:00—Ambassador orchestra.
9:00—Organ recital.

WSAI, Cincinnati—325.9.
2:45—Dr. S. Parkes Cadman.
8:15—Sosa Low and B. Gigli.
9:15—Culp Concert orchestra.

WTAG, Worcester—267.7.
6:20—Program from WEAF.

WTIC, Hartford, Conn.—475.9.
7:15—New York Strong quartet.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 28

Monday's Best Features

WEAF HOOK-UP—Opera, "Ernani."
WTAG—Minstrel show.
KOA—KOA Stff Artists.
WLS—Blue Ribbon Artists.
WJZ—Russian String Quartet.
WSM—Community program.

(Central Standard Time.)

KFAB, LINCOLN—340.7
5:30—Dinner music; Talk.
8:30—Cosmopolitan club.

CFAC, CALGARY—435.8
10:00—Dance Orchestra.

CFCF, MONTREAL—410.7
6:00—Stories; Dinner music.
7:45—Concord Entertainers.
9:30—Hall's Orchestra.

KDKA, EAST PITTSBURGH—309.1
5:30—Dinner Concert.
8:00—Happy Hour Hour.

KFI, LOS ANGELES—467
7:30—Matinee features.
9:00—Blue Bird Band.
10:00—Women'sc Press Club.
11:00—Two hour program.

KFKX, HASTINGS, NEB.—288.3
5:30—Dinner music (KDKA).
7:00—Market summaries.
9:00—Ramblers Orchestra.

KGO, OAKLAND—361.2
7:30—Children's period.
8:00—Twilight concert.
10:00—Educational program.

KGW, PORTLAND—491.5
8:00—Dinner concert.
11:00—Concert.

KLX—OAKLAND—508.2
10:00—Musical program.
11:00—Lake Merritt Ducks.

KOA, DENVER—322.4
7:30—Tillotson's Orchestra.
8:30—Sandman; Spanish lesson.
10:00—Bridge lessen.
10:30—KOA staff artists.

KPO, San Francisco—428.3
8:40—Orchestras.
10:0c—Organ recital.
11:00—Studio program.
12:00—Dance music.

KPRC, Houston—296.9
5:30—Children's hour.
7:30—Gunn's Ramblers.
8:30—Studio concert.

KSD, St. Louis—545.1
7:00—Arne Arnesen, violinist.
9:00—Recital for two pianos.
11:00—KSD Concert orchestra.

KTHS, Hot Springs—374.8
9:0c—Show hour.
9:45—Organ recital; frolic.

KWRC, Ceadr Rapids—277.8
9:00—Music.
11:00—Frolic.

KYW, Chicago—535.4
6:00—Rebroadcasting of KDKA.

WAHG, Richmond Hill—315.6
6:30—Studio musical program.
9:15—Zimmerman's orchestra.
11:00—Brown's trapezoidians.

WBAL, Baltimore—240
5:45— 5:45—WBAL dinner orchestra.
7:00—Two hour studio program.

WBAP, Fort Worth—475.9
6:00—Dinner music.
7:30—Musical program.
9:30—Trail Blazers.
11:00—Varied entertainers.

WBZ Springfield—333.1
5:25—Markets; relaying KDKA.
6:20—Capitol orchestra.
7:00—Copley Plaza orchestra.
7:30—Rene Dagenais, organist.
8:00—Aleppo Drum Corps.
10:05—Reisman's orchestra

WCAE, Pittsburgh—461.3
5:30—William Penn orchestra.
6:30—The Sunshine Girl.
7:00—Nixon orchestra.
8:00—Mozart quatret.
9:00—Grand opera, "Ernani."
10:00—Aldine theater program.

WCAP, Washington—468.5
5:00—Post hour; features.
7:00 — Harmony hour; health talk; Gypsy orchestra.
9:0c—Grand opera, "Ernani."

WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul—416.4
5:20—Children's hour.
6:30—Gordon Cooke's ensemble.
8:00—U. of Minnesota program.
9:00—Classical concert.

WDAF, Kansas City—365.6
6:00—School of the Air.
9:00—Around the Town.
9:00—Ivanhoe Band and Glee club.
11:45—Nighthawk frolic.

WEAF, New York—491.5
5:00—Rose Room orchestra.
6:0c—Studio entertainment.
7:00—Harmony hour.
7:45—Health talk.
9:0c—Grand opera, "Ernani."
10:00—Ben Bernie's orchestra.

WEEI, Boston—348.6
5:45—Big Brother club.
6:30—Perkins Beale ensemble.
7:00—Program from WEAF.
9:00—Holmes' orchestra.

WFAA, Dallas—475.9
8:30—Artie Collins' orchestra.
7:00—Church service.
9:c0—U. of P. dance music.

WGHP, Detroit—270.
7:00—WGHP Little Symphony.

WGR, Buffalo—319.0.
6:30—Clef Dwellers orchestra.
7:00—Harmony Hour (WEAF).
8:00—Studio musical program.
10:00—Lopez-Statler orchestra.

WGY, Schenectady—379.9.
5:30—Hamaker's orchestra.
6:00—Agricultural progrem.
6:45—Turner Mannechor.

WHAD, Milwaukee—275.
6:00—Markets; Dinner music.
8:00—Marquette studio program.

WHB, Kansas City—365.6.
7:00—Choir in Christmas music.

WHO, Des Moines—526.0.
7:30—Studio musical program.
11:00—WHO Dance orchestra.

WJAR, Providence—3059.
7:00—Musical program.
8:00—Gypsy orchestra.
9:00—Grand opera, "Ernani."

WJR Detroit—516.9.
6:00—Petite Symphony.
8:00—Concert.
10:30—WJR Jesters.

WJZ, New York—454.3.
6:00—Levitow's orchestra.
7:00—The Revelers.
8:00—Larry Siry's orchestra.
8:30—Russian Strong quartet; John Barnes Wells, tenor.
9:30—Leonard's orchestra.

WKRC, Cincinnati—422.3.
6:00—Dinner dance program.
8:00—Sanker's orchestra.
9:00—American Legion program.
11:00—Theatrical stars.

WLIT, Philadelphia—394.5.
6:30—Dream Daddy stories.
7:00—Agro-Waves; News talk.
8:0c—Stanley theatre hour.
9:00—Dance music; Vaudeville.

WLS, Chicago—344.6.
6:00—WLS Blue Ribbon Artists.

WLW, Cincinnati—422.3.
6:30—Feature and talk.
7:00—Visconti's orchestra.
10:00—Times-Star orchestra.

WMAQ, Chicago—447.5.
6:00—Chicago theatre organ.
6:30—LaSalle orchestra.

WMBF, Miami Beach—284.5.
6:00—Concert program.
9:00—Dance music.

WMC, Memphis—499.7.
7:15—Stories; Farm talk.
8:30—Concert.

WNYC, New York—526.
5:10—Markets; German lessons.
6:30—Police alarms; Orchestra.
7:15—Concert.
9:10—Lecture and alarms.

WOAW, Omaha—526.0.
6:00—Soprano-contralto duets.
6:40—Talk; Orchestra.
9:00—Zabriskie String quartet.
15:15—Studio program.

WOO—Philadelphia—508.2.
6:30—Ritz-Carlton orchestra.
7:00—Program from WEAF.
10:00—Ritz-Carlton orchestra.

WOR, Newark—405.2.
5:15—Sport talk; Music.
6:30—Katinka orchestra.
7:30—Al Reid's Hour.
8:45—Basketball, Yale vs. Newark A. C.
9:45—News; Dance music.

WOS, Jefferson City—440.9.
8:00—Columbia (Mo.) Night.

WPG—Atlantic City—299.8.
5:45—Arthur S. Brook, organ.
6:00—Morton Trio.
7:00—Children's Hour.
8:00—Ambassador orchestra.
9:00—Traymore orchestra.
9:30—Galen Hall Trio.
10:10—McKnight's orchestra.

WSAI, Cincinnati—325.9.
8:00—Gypsies; Grand opera.
10:00—Community program.

WSB, Atlanta—428.3.
8:00—Concert.
10:45—Vic Myers' orchestra.

WSM, Nashville—282.8.
6:30—Orchestra and stories.
7:30—Community program.
10:00—Mrs. Caldwell's artists.

WSUI, Iowa City—483.6.
8:00—Mrs. P. Coast organist.

WTAG Worcester—267.7.
6:00—Talks and stories.
7:00—Concert and talk.
8:00—Emmett Guard Minstrels.
9:00—Grand opera, "Ernani."

WTAM, Cleveland—389.4.
5:00—Dinner program.
7:00—Symphony and soloists.
10:00—Lombardo's Canadians.

WWJ, Detroit—352.7.
5:00—Dinner concert.
7:00—News orchestra.
8:00—Gypsy orchestra.

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Radio Digest

Good Sets Ruined by Tinkering.

It is poor policy to experiment with a set that is believed to be in perfect working order. One is apt to throw something out of adjustment, or even entirely ruin many of the parts.

Worth Remembering.

To prevent screws dropping into the set when working in inaccessible places, twist a length of small wire around the screw head, so it may be held in place until starting with the driver.

An Angle on Aerials.

The most satisfactory aerial for bringing in broadcast programs consists of two or three parallel wires, two feet apart, and from 75 to 100 feet long, placed as high as possible and as far as possible from all trees, somestacks, etc. The aerial may be placed in any direction.

Selecting Tubes By Color.

A tube with the purple color is much better for the radio frequency than any other type. For the detector of regenerative sets, the tube with the slight coloring on the inside and not clear glass is more efficient, while for the detector of a neutrodyne the clear glass tube is better.

Increased Volume Ruins Tubes.

No matter what kind of tubes are used in a set, every operator should remember that increasing the volume and over-heating the filament is a wasterful practice. The proper temperature of the filament is ascertained by observing its brilliancy, or more accurately by using a voltmeter to indicate the voltage which is used across it.

To "DX" Fans.

To pick up distant stations, a set must be adjusted to its most sensitive condition and in doing so invariably it is adjusted right on the edge of the oscillating condition, which annoys immediate neighbors by emitting a continual whistle and if the set is adjusted to pick up other distant stations, the whistle rises and falls, producing a very disagreeable note in the receiving set.

Improves Radio Reception.

Clean jack contacts are necessary for good reception. These little springs gather dust and corrode slightly, making a poor path for the weaker signals. Much of the drying and crackling noises can be traced to this cause. An easy method of cleaning them is to insert a small piece of fine sandpaper between the contracts and pull it back and forth a few times. Emery paper should not be used for this purpose, as it leaves a metalic deposit that will cause leakage and losses. A small camel's hairbrush will aid in keeping the jacks free from dust.

Protect Aerial From Lightning.

Underwriters require that an aerial must be protected by either a lightning arrester or a lightning switch. If one of these is not properly installed, it may effect the fire insurance of the property. The lightning arrester has the advantage that it does not require any attention, as it is always in circuit, while the switch, if the connection to the ground is neglected, is not a safeguard to any set or aerial. The usual lightning arrester is a minute air gap connected across the aerial (lead-in) and ground. This acts as a short path for any atmospheric or lightning discharges that may collect on, or strike the aerial. The lightning will take the most direct path to the earth and this is through the arrester.

For the Notebook.

It is impossible to get a cheap loud-speaker that will faithfully reproduce all the notes of musical instruments.

The antenna, which includes the lead-in, plus the length of the ground wire, should not exceed 200 feet in length.

All of the connecting wires running to terminals on the socket should be made with flexible strips of copper or brass.

The storage battery of a radio set requires greater attention than the automobile battery, because there is no generator to keep it charged as the current is used.

Radiograms.

An attempt is to be made to link radio apparatus in Japan with telephone lines in case of storm, fires or earthquakes.

A college which will broadcast all its lectures and instructions by radio has been inaugurated in Vienna, Austria. Daily courses will last two hours.

Radio is one of the largest users of copper in the world of industry. The estimated production of sets this year is 2,000,000, in which 7,775,000 pounds of copper will be used.

The German Ministry of Posts and Telegraphs is reported to be studying a scheme for installing a public radio receiving station in every town and village throughout Germany.

Cuba now has 40 broadcasting stations and about 20,000 receiving sets. In Havana, which is the centre of radio activity, the air is free to all until 5 p. m. From 5 until 8 o'clock only music may be broadcast. Between 8 and 11 only one station is permitted to broadcast. This eliminates all congestion or interference.

University Radio Program for Week

The following program will be broadcast this week by the University of Nebraska over station KFAB:

Monday, Dec. 28.

9:30 to 9:55 a. m.—Weather report, road report and announcements.

1:15 p. m.—Readings by Miss Vetura Cave.

8:05 to 8:30 p. m.—Piano solos by Miss Georgia Sheldon.

Tuesday, Dec. 29.

9:30 to 9:55 a. m.—Weather report, road report and announcements.

1:15 p. m.—Readings by Miss Ida May Flader.

8:05 to 10:30 p. m.—University night. Faculty program. Duets by Mrs. Altinas Tullis, soprano and Harry E. Bradford, baritone.

Leonore Burkett Burkett Van Kirk, soprano, Carl Frederic Steckelberg, violinist. Readings by Catherine Hanson and Beatrice Fuller. Herbert Schmidt, pianist, Walter Wheatley, tenor.

Wednesday, Dec. 30.

9:30 to 9:55 a. m.—Weather report, road report and announcements.

1:15 p. m.—Readings by Harold Felton.

8:05 to 8:30 p.m.—Piano solos by Miss Thelma Sexton.

Thursday, Dec. 31.

9:30 to 9:55 a. m.—Weather report, road report and announcements.

Friday, Jan. 1.

9:30 to 9:55 a. m.—Weather report, road report and announcements.

1:15 p. m.—Readings by Harold Sumption.

8:05 to 8:30 p. m.—Readings by Ray Ramsey.

Saturday, Jan. 2.

9:30 to 9:55 a. m.—Weather report, road report and announcements.

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Wesleyan Affairs

Programs are being broadcasted every Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock from station WCAJ. The program for January 6 will be as follows:

Tambourine ..... Rameau
Bourree ..... Bach
Lucile Anderson, pianist.
Come Unto Him, from the Messiah ..... Handel
An Open Secret ..... Woodman
Velma Bush
"Some Special Aspects of the Workingman's Compensation Law," Prof. Glen Callen.
Witches Dance ..... MacDowell
LeRoy Wright, pianist.
Reading, "Grandfather" .... Gilson
Alice Maynard
Ave Maria ..... Schubert
Velma Bush, soprano.

Clinton Swengel, John Casteel and Mark McCallum will represent Nebraska Wesleyan as delegates to the interdenominational students conference at Evanston, Ill., December 29 to January 1. Stanley High, '17, is a member of the conference committee on promotion.

Hastings Notes

During the Christmas recess the debating squad is briefing its case for the coming season on the child labor question. Immediately after classes are resumed, members of the squad will hold their first practice debate under the direction of Prof. Franklin H. Knower, coach. The first inter-collegiate debate for Hastings this year will be in February.

A son was born to Prof. and Mrs. Chalmers N. Patterson at the Mary Lanning hospital in Hastings December 20.

Miss Janet Schmitz, '29 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Schmitz of Hastings, left during the vacation for a visit with friends and relatives in California.

Alumni and former students of Hastings college whose homes are in St. Paul, Neb., plan to hold a sleighing party during the vacation. Those who will be able to attend the party are: George Armstrong, '25; Edward P. Sevcik, '24; Lillian Sorenson, '24; Howard Nelson, '24; Edgar Armstrong, ex-'28; Russel Joynt, ex-'28; Cathryn Taylor, ex-'25; Harriet Taylor, ex-'25; Henry Kilpatrick, ex-'24; and Evans Vandegrift, ex-'24.

Leo Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown of Minden, and a former student in Hastings college, is now employed as a chemist in the packing plant of Swift & Company in Kansas City.

The sponsors of the Whitterian literary society of the Hastings college academy are searching for the society charter, signed by the poet, John Greenleaf Whittier. The charter was lost several years ago.

Eighteen men have been reporting to Coach W. G. Kline during the Christmas recess for basketball practice in the new gymnasium.

University Notes

Elizabeth Hope Gordon, '14, of the High School of Commerce, Worcester, Mass., is one of the editors of a new edition of Sir Walter Scott's "Ivanhoe," which has just been publishd by MacMillan Company, and an edition of Richard Henry Dana's "Two Years Before the Mast," which was recently published by Charles Scribner's Sons.

Robert F. Craig, announcer for the University radio studio, tells of the work of the studio in a special article in the current issue of The Nebraska Alumnus.

Prof. H. J. Gramlich presented a paper on "Utilizing Results Obtained in Livestock Feeding Experiments," and Prof. W. J. Loeffel gave a report entitled "Meat Investigational Work at the University of Nebraska," at the annual meeting of the American Society of Animal Production held this fall in Chicago.

Screen Siftings

Signed to Star—H. B. Warner has been signed by Metropolitan Pictures to portray "Whispering Smith" in the screen version of Frank Spearman's novel. Mr. Warner has just completed a long engagement in "Silence" on Broadway. He has been signed by Cecil B. De Mille for the role in the screen version of the play, which he originated on the screen. He will start work on it as soon as he completes "Whispering Smith." Lillian Rich and Lilyan Tashman have the leading feminine parts in "Whispering Smith." Miss Tashman recently completed "Rocking Moon," for Metropolitan. Lillian Rich's most recent work was opposite Rod La Rocque in "Braveheart." George Melford has been chosen to direct "Whispering Smith."

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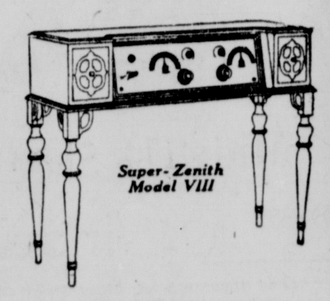
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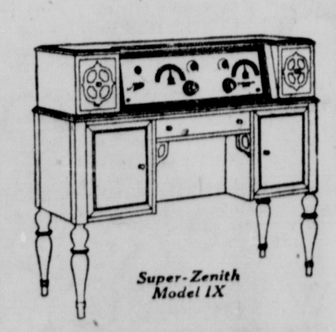
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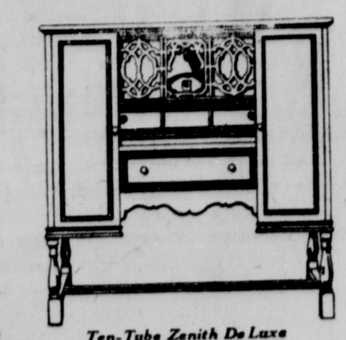
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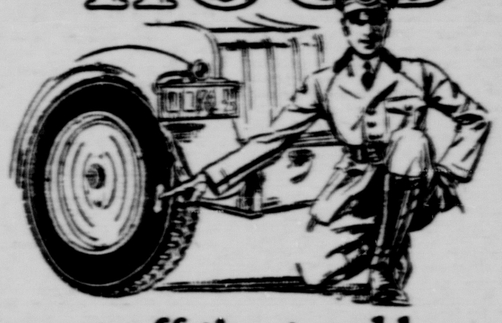
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Paramount's Holiday Gift to the World at the Lincoln Theatre All This Week. The Wonder Film of All Time: "A Kiss for Cinderella" Starring the "Peter Pan" Girl, Betty Bronson.

"A Kiss for Cinderella" is not a fairy tale, nor is it a costume picture—the costume portion is merely a dream fantasy sequence.

The role of Cinderella is one made to order for the irresistible Betty, and she gives a performance that rivals her portrayals in "Peter Pan." Of the many worthwhile features in the production the dream ball is the most noteworthy, both from the standpoint of magnificence and humorous novelty.

On the stage, "Cinderella's Fairy Dancers," including Babies Verna Mae Hansen and Janet Lehr. Also Genevieve and Dudley Cook, instrumentalists. Pathe News and Fables. Lincoln Symphony orchestra, Jean L. Schaefer, conductor. Wilbur Chenoweth, concert organist. Shows at 1, 3, 5, 7, 9.

Notice.

The nine o'clock show New Year's eve will continue until midnight. Come out and help celebrate the New Year. Ring out the old year and holler in the new.

Two Wonderful Pictures for New Year's Week at the Rialto. "Pola Negri" in Her Latest, "Flower of Night," Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

"Flower of Night" is a romance that embodies thrilling action and marvelous color, that deals with persons of vitality interesting types, that is laid in a setting of magnificent scenic beauty and that gives Pola Negri the opportunity for the triumph of her screen career. And she has made just that of it. A wonderful, supporting cast.

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Coming Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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Round the World To Our City the Sensational Musical Hit "No, No, Nanette" at the Orpheum Wednesday and Thursday Nights.

When "No, No, Nanette" which will be seen at the Orpheum next Wednesday and Thursday for two nights only was first produced in April of last year, for its first time on any stage, every critic predicted fame for this delightful musical play and a fortune for H. H. Frazee, its producer. After two preliminary weeks, "No, No, Nanette" went almost directly to the Harris Theater in Chicago; and how well its first audience forecast its destiny is told in its phenomenal Chicago record which mounted to twelve months of solid capacity, nearly 500 performances, with the demand far from satisfied, when previous bookings that could no longer be postponed, carried this company to Boston and New York.

So ,Mr. Frazee, wise showman that he is, and moved by the persistent claims of all other American cities, decided to satisfy this demand while "Nanette" was still a novelty and a sensation. Accordingly, some time ago he selected with greeat care three special companies, which, in the public value of their leading players, fully rival their sister organization.

One of these companies has just closed its 27th week in Philadelphia; the second, after 19 capacity weeks in Los Angeles, is now in its 10th week in San Francisco; the third will be seen here. In New York the success of "No, No, Nanette" has reached to proportions of a furor; while in London and Australia seats must be secured months ahead. Cecil Lean and Cleo Mayfield, those stellar bright lights of musical comedy will head a cast which includes such well-known and able exponents of song, dance and laughter as Mildred Brown, Carrie Glenn, Cyril Ring, Metta Louise Orr, Frank Gallagher, Mary Adams, Calista Stewart and Frances Richards as well as the "Nanette" male octette and the now famous "Gorgeous Garden of Girls"—an ensemble of 50.

There are a round dozen song hits and dancing numbers, with "I Want to Be Happy" and "Tea for Two" which have set the world "stepping" in the forefront of favor. All Lincoln will flock to the Orpheum when "Nanette" arrives in all the jaunty, confident, high-stepping manner that comes of its sensational success with the proud knowledge that, it is without a rival. A rollicking book, delightful music, a perfect cast—these tell the story.

The Sparkling Musical Play, "The Gingham Girl" at the Orpheum New Year's Day, Matinee and Night.

Teddy Hart who plays the Eddie Buzzell role in "The Gingham Girl" the distinguished musical comedy success coming to the Orpheum, matinee and night Friday January 1, is the brother of Lorenz Hart the famous author of "The Garrick Gaieties" which created such a sensation in New York the past season. But outside of that he has quite a reputation of his own. Possessed with a pleasing personality, and a winning smile he is a pocket edition of Eddie Buzzell who was elevated to stardom through his portrayal of the leading role in "The Gingham Girl" when it was first produced at the Earl Carroll theater in New York. Mr. Hart, has acted under the banner of A. H. Woods playing in such productions as "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," "Breakfast in Bed," etc. He has also appeared in Keith vaudeville supporting Taylor Granville in "The American Ace" and later with Hugh Herbert in "Indoor Sports," and is a light comedian of exceptional ability.

If there is any young man in Lincoln who wishes to propose to his lady love and hasn't the nerve to do so, or doesn't know how to do so, Teddy invites him to see "The Gingham Girl." Then he can watch the method he employs and he is certain to get a few helpful pointers in one of the song hits, "Tell Her While The Waltz is Playing."

The simplicity of the story of "The Gingham Girl," the refined humor, the tunefulness of its score, the romance contained in its lyrics, its clever cast of principals and the dancing of the chorus of beautiful girls will make it one of the hits of the current season.

Two Splendid Programs At The Liberty This Week, New Year's Day.

The first half of the week, starting Monday matinee, one of vaudeville's best known teams, Billy Chase and Charlotte La Tour and their associates will present their original novelty skit, "Around the Corner;" Captain Kidd, a picturesque song and dance fantasy will be presented by Ben Marion, Maurice Courtrai, Felix Mack, Ray Coffey, and Joan Kayten; Nick & Gladys Verga in "Out of the Rough," have an offering full of witty patter and dialect confusion: something more than ordinary in the way of a musical treat will be presented by Joseph Regan, the young singing actor with Alberta Curliss, soprano, and Frank Du Bord at the piano; Carole Webb and Cut-Ups have a singing and dancing act that is different; news and comedy pictures and "The Green Archer," a thrilling chapter play. Coming Thursday the Braile & Pallo Revue, an artistic and beautiful Parisian divertisement; Joe Morris and Winnie Baldwin, a clever duo of musical comedy favorites; The Four Entertainers, a quartette of harmony funsters; "Syncopationville," a novelty revue presented by Mimi and Pomme and the Garvin Twins; Kenny, Mason and Scholl, exceptional entertainers; news and comedy pictures and the chapter play of mystery, "The Scarlet Streak." Music by Babich and his prize orchestra.

Cecil B. De Mille's Superb Production,' 'The Road to Yesterday' At The Lyric This Week.

The New Year week attraction at the Lyric is Cecil B De Milles unsurpassed melodramatic screen classic, "The Road to Yesterday." The Hand of Fate guided by the hand of the great DeMille is one of the mightiest and most spectacular screen presentations ever shown to the motion picture public. A picture that lifts you without warning and carries you back three centuries into undreamed of adventures. Suddenly—and again without warning, it sets you gently back in your seat again, and lo, you have traveled "The Road to Yesterday" to its glorious end. The splendid cast includes Joseph Schildkraut, Jetta Goudal, Vera Reynolds, William Boyd and Julia Faye.

Visualized news items of interest and on the stage Lincoln's favorites, Archie Jones and Sarah Sheffield in "Musical Moments." A brilliant and interpretative musical program by Ernest Harrison's Lyric orchestra and Mrs. May M. Mills, organist.

"The Clash of the Wolves" And "The Adventures of Maizie" At The Colonial This Week.

"The Clash of the Wolves" with Rin-Tin-Tin is the story of Lobo the Wolf who spreads terror through the southwest, and of the lovers who befriended him; a dramatic romance that will tear its way into every heart. "The adventures of Maizie" another torrent of humor, roaring, gurgling and splashing over the screen in a tempest of adventure; "All Out," a rollicking comedy, and up-to-minute news items, with interpretative music by J. C. N. Richards and D. Frank Easterday, organist, rounds out a program that should prove to be fine entertainment this week, New Year's week.

Join The Merry Crowd of Pleasure Seekers and Watch The Old Year Out And The New Year In at the Lyric.

The nine o'clock shows at the Lyric and Liberty Thursday night, New Year's eve will be continued until midnight. Added attractions will be presented at these shows.

Leading Lady Married—Dorothy Devore, the Warner Brothers' star, is now Mrs. A. W. Mather. Her new husband is a theatrical producer from Honolulu, whom she met three years ago while "on location" in the islands. They are honeymooning in San Francisco.

Edna Purviance Back From Europe--Returns To Movies In New Chaplin Production

Edna Purviance, who has been sojourning abroad for some months, has returned to these shores. Coincident with her return, she announced that she is to be featured in another picture, with Charlie Chaplin as the director. If you recall, Edna made an enduring name for herself in "Woman of Paris," also directed by Chaplin, after long years of acting in the Chaplin comedies. She was unable to pursue further the fame she had won, for about that time occurred the shooting affair in California, and she has been in retirement for some time.

Connie Talmadge has regained her American citizenship. She became a Greek subject when she married J. T. Plaioglou, a tobacco importer. Thre years ago she obtained a divorce, but Connie, of Brooklyn birth, had to secure naturalization papers to become an American citizen again.

January is to be national laugh month, and comedies, feature length and otherwise, will occupy prominent spots on the theatrical programs. After all is said and done, we want entertainment at a movie and real entertainment comes with a laugh, more than with a tear. If you can go home and remember that Harold Lloyd or Harry Langdon made you forget last month's bills, you'll go to see them again. The sobby ones are all right now and then, but they let you indulge in deep purple introspection too much.

Irene Rich, another of the flitting stars, returns to Hollywood January 15. She is in New York at present, and is to make a personal appearance with the premiere of "Lady Windermere's Fan," in which she is the delicate and designing vamp. You may not think much of the name, but the Wilde play is all but a classic, and should make a good screen production. Incidentally, Miss Rich denies that she is returning to Europe, is engaged to marry Vincent Lopez, famous orchestra leader, will leave Warner brothers soon, will make her next picture in New York City, will sell her Hollywood home and live in the east—which means that Hollywood and Warners are her plans for the minute.

Mae Murray to Berlin.

Mae Murray sailed last Saturday for Berlin, where she will start work in a series of screen pictures for UFA, which is to bring her in $5,000 per week. Not so paltry a sum for posing and making mischevious mouths.

Something on Hollywood marriages—Ouida Bergere, former wife of George Fitzmaurice, who is reported engaged to Florence Vidor, is to marry Basil Rathbone. Basil was leading man in "The Masked Bride," a Mae Murray feature.

It doesn't really seem possible, and certainly not probable, but it is credited to Lilyan Tashman that she has refused to be starred. Metropolitan put her name in big type and gave her a starring salary, but she prefers to be named along in the middle of the cast. If her performance isn't satisfactory, no one thinks much about it. If it is extraordinary, they look for her name and are surprised. Wiley Lilyan—and probably the salary goes on anyway.

With "Abraham Lincoln" having a few medals pined upon it, and the nearly unknown Rocketts suddenly becoming the pride of Hollywood, other producers are looking about for biographies to film. The "Life of Theodore Roosevelt" as a 1926 effort was announced some time ago, and now comes word that P. T. Barnum is to be put in the movies. One might pause to wonder what the old showman would do with a movie house. No bad taste left after such pictures, and pretty good things for Young America to view.

Gertrude Atherton's, "The Crystal Cup," is to be placed in production shortly and Sada Cowan is now preparing the script. Alice Duer Miller, whose name is well known to Magazine writers, is adapting "Monte Carlo," an original screen story.

Seven pictures are now being edited at the Warner studio. They include "The Sea Beast," with John Barrymore, "Hogan's Alley," a comedy featuring Monte Blue, "His Jazz Bride," with Marie Prevost and Matt Moore, "The Fighting Edge," a border story in which Kenneth Harlan and Patsy Ruth Miller have the leads, "The Love Toy," Lowell Sherman's second starring vehicle, "The Man Upstairs," with Monte Blue, and "The Cave Man," with Matt Moore and Marie Prevost.

"Rocking Moon," featuring Lilyan Tashman and John Bowers, is in the cutting room at Metropolitan, and "The Dice Woman," starring Priscilla Dean, is in preparation at the same studio.

Plan "Red" Grange Picture.

It's not news that "Red" Grange has joined the movies, for you all know it. However, you might like to know that W. E. Shallenberger, president of Arrow Pictures corporation, has invited a number of the most important and widely read authors of sporting stories to submit materials, in the picturization of which will enable "Red" to appear at his best, and in a role of greatest interest to his followers. He'll make a neat fortune, but wouldn't the rest of us try for one, too, if somebody came around and urged us?

Hollywood is going to lose some of its bright lights, temporarily. Mae Murray has gone, Mary and Douglas are going in the spring for a year, perhaps, and Dorothy Mackaill expects to return to England for a visit for the first time since her name got into the bright lights. But they all come back, like Dorothy Gish, who found English picture making not nearly so fine as American.

Svend Gade, noted Danish director, recently declined an offer from Inspiration pictures corporation to direct Richard Barthelmess. After a lengthy conference with Carl Laemmle of Universal, where he is under contract, it was decided that future plans outlined for this megaphone wielder make it impracticable for him to forsake his present assignments. "The Rosary" is to be his next work, and with Gade's artistry, this tearful, dramatic story might become a passable picture.

Gets a New Baby—Mae Marsh, who is Mrs. Louis Lee Arms in private life, has a brand new baby son. This is Miss Marsh's second child. She has a daughter 5 years old. Mr. Arms is a well known newspaper man.

RUSSIAN ACTORS IN RIOTOUS PLAY BY ARISTOPHANES

Good but "Resembles Bohemian House party" Says Gotham Critic.

Red-Starred Season for Operas Crowned by "The Student Prince."

BY BUSHNELL DIAMOND.

NEW YORK CITY, Dec. 26.—The arrival of the Russians for some riotous classical doings at the Jolson; the return of the Marx Brothers; the first anniversary of "The Student Prince"; the production of Eugene O'Neill's "The Fountain," and a new French war drama by the Theater Guild—these are signs that Christmas on Broadway will be not white, but golden.

In a season remarkable for its red—starred light operatic successes, it is noteworthy that "The Student Prince" should have rounded out a full year and still be bright with the most magnetic vim. Attribute it to what you will, wither the full-blown sentiment of "Old Heidelberg," from which the libretto was drawn, or to the lush opulence of Sigmund Romberg's score, with its cadenzas and male choruses in the grand old Viennese manner, here is an entertainment that entertains.

Where the older generation thrilled responsively to Richard Mansfield as the beer-drinking youth of the blood royal who fell in love with the tavern lass, where the not-too-old generation got a cardiac kick out of Dorothy Gish and late Wallace Reid in the film adaptation, the younger clans today acclaim the edition with songs. It is a stirring show classifiable with "Princess Flavia abd "The Vagabond King."

Still The Prince.

Howard Marsh, whose artistic beginnings go back to "The Greenwich Village Follies" and Blossom Time," is still singing the prince. Ilse Marvenga has disappeared from the cast, but a newcomer the ponderously agile Sydney Greenstreet, gives rich comic tone to the farcical points of the evening.

The Guild's successor to the ill-fated, but beautiful, "Glass Slipper" comes out of Paris, and is entitled "Merchants of Glory." The label is ironical; the text fiercely satirical of men who fatten on the war-won reputations of dead heroes. The authors Messieurs Pagnol and Nivoix, assure us that the play is based on actual occurrences, and few will doubt the possibility.

An exceptionally strong company has been swept together for the occasion, performances of fine temper and acrid emphasis being contributed by Augustin Duncan as the venal father; Jose Ruben as the supposedly dead son; Betty Linley, Lee Baker, George Nash and Helen Westley, whose repertory or roles must be large enough by now to fill the Public Library.

When you have said Marx Brothers, there remains precious little to add. The town's most popular comic quartette have exchanged the fadded gewgaws and old-time musical comedy settings of "I'll Say She Is" for the gorgeous background which Sam Harris has provided for them in "The Cocoanuts."

With two or three capital tunes by Irving Berlin and a skeleton of story by George S. Kaufman, the tireless brothers make priceless headway, scattering their wise cracks with generous hands. He one else involved seems of much moment, for the show "clicks," through the Marxe's efforts, and has, indeed, clicked its way into a long run hit.

Ancient Greek Modernized.

Morris Gest, who meets all incoming boats hoping to find a fresh consignment of foreign geniuses, sponsors the production of Aristophane' "Lysistrara" by the Moscow Art Theater Musical Studio, which in spite of its weighty name, gives a rousing performance of the ancient and rowdy Greek comedy. Played and sung in the Slavic tongue, it resembles a Petrograd house party, but the underlying fun is not lost in the process. It looks like another prosperous winter for Mr. Gest's talented emigres.

"The Fountain" had got itself into the class of deferred masterpieces like Robert McLaughlin's "The Pearl of Great Price" till the Provincetown group came along and gave it a much-needed birth of great scenic loveliness and some acting that ranges from shadowy to impressive.

Mr. O'Neill's legend deals with Ponce de Leon's quest of the magic spring of youth, and was originally destined for the use of Lionel Barrymore. Now Walter Huston, who was so admirable in Zona Gale's "Mister Pitt" and in Mr. O'Neill's "Desire Under the Elms," is cast as the explorer. He embodies the role with both realism and touches of dream-haunted fever. The staging is especially notable.

Of the new pictures, far and away the most important is Laurence Stallings' "The Big Parade," an extraordinary achievement of which more may be said in this column later. Merely as a story told from a real soldier's viewpoint, it is astonishingly lucid and faithful. But the panorama it spreads is up to that grade set by Griffith in "The Borth of a Nation" and "Hearts of the World."

The city, as usual, is replete with music. The array of daily concerts and recitals would exhaust a page, and the visitor must do his own choosing for the most part. The revival by the Metropolitan, of Woll-Ferrari's "The Jewels of the Madonna," however, should have a special word, for if you are the sort of music lover who likes a creamy theatricality in your operatic fare, this is certainly your dish.

Mme. Jobitza now has the role of Maliella, once the exclusive property of Carolina White in the old days when the Chicago-Philadelphia company was playing about these parts. One may add, without rudeness, one hopes, that the blonde Viennese gives to the part a rich sensuousness and a dramatic stroke which her predecessor could never quite achieve.

My next letter will consist of a brief summary of all the plays in town, in an effort to guide holiday pilgrims to the White Lane in the direction of those things that will bring them the most satisfactory personal sense of entertainment.

As Mother Again—Louise Dresser, who made such a sensation in "The Goose Woman," is to have another mother role in "The Blind Goddess," which Paramount is making as a special feature.

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Harold Lloyd's First Home.

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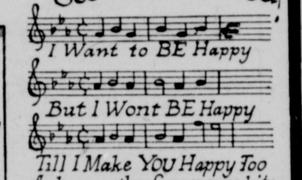
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Answers to Movie Fans

Dear Movie Editor—Please tell me all you can about the man who played "Jack" in Cecil B. De Mille's "The Road to Yesterday," also the one who was "Ken." I think his name is Schildkraut, or something like that. I thought that was a wonderful picture. I always go to see a De Mille picture, what is their age, color of hair and eyes?

Also tell me all you can about Forrest Stanley. I like him, too.

I saw "The Midshipman." Wasn't that a good picture? I think Ramon Novarro is wonderful. Wesley Barry is quite grown up now isn't he. He is certainly a good actor. Thanks, SANDAH.

William Boyd had the role of "Jack" in "The Road to Yesterday." He is a 6-foot, broad-schoulidered son of a Cambridge, O., civil engineer.

Mr. Boyd is really a self-made film celebrity. A shortage of money forced him to leave the Tulsa, Okla., high school before he had finished. Somewhere he heard of San Diego, Cal., so he started in that direction, within 100 miles of his goal, he found he was down to 50 cents, so he went to work in an orange packing house.

People had told Mr. Boyd he would screen well, so he worked in that direction, but it was several years before he was able to try his luck in pictures. In the meantime he worked as a grocery clerk, automobile salesman and oil driller.

In 1919 he was given a job as an "extra" in "Why Change Your Wife," which Mr. De Mille produced. Since then he has played in such pictures as "Bobbed Hair," "Forty Winks," "Old Lives for New," "Feet of Clay," "The Golden Bed," and others. You no doubt remember him as "Spur" in "The Midshipman."

Boyd was a successful football player, and a mechanic. He is in his early twenties. He enlisted in the army in June, 1917, but was discharged in August for athletic heart. He then ran the Post exchange at March Field, Riverside, Calif.

His present contract with Mr. De Mille will give him a chance for the kind of parts that made Wallace Reid famous. He has been loaned to Metropolitan Pictures for "Steel Preferred" which will be his next release. Mr. Boyd is a blonde.

Joseph Schildkraut is the other young man whom you admired. He has dark hair and eyes and is about 30. Mr. Schaildkraut is the son of Rudolph Schildkraut, the noted actor of the European and American stage. Joseph literally leaped into fame in New York in the title role in Molnar's "Liliom." D. W. Griffith discovered him and made him the Romeo of "Orphans of the Storm." Mr. Schildkraut is known as "the handsomest man in the world." He received the distinction from Max Rhinehart, the famous continental producer for whom Mr. Schildkraut played as a star. In Vienna, the emperor of Austria made him a favorite of the court.

Forrest Stanley is a New Yorker by birth. He was a favorite there behind the foodlights, until the movies lured him to Los Angeles. Since Mr. Stanley left Columbia university, he has acted in more than 500 productions on the legitimate stage. In university, he was always the star in the college dramatics. On the stage he played opposite such famous beauties as Blanche Ring, Kitty Gordon, Margaret Illington and Jane Cowl.

His first pictures were made with Lasky and included "Forbidden Fruit" and "The House That Jakz Built." He played opposite Marion Davies in such pictures as "Enchantment," "When Knighthood Was in Flower," and "The Young Diana."

All out door sports attract Mr. Stanley, and as is fond of gardening. He has a choice collection of flowers and plants in his garden.

"The Midshipman" is proving popular with the fans. I saw Wesley Barry in a vaudeville skit recently, and was amazed at the polish he had acquired in his technique since I saw him as a boy in Lincoln about four years ago. He is a young man now, and can no longer qualify as the "freckled face kid."

Dear Movie Editor—This makes the second time I have written to you. I wonder if you could tell me if Lloyd Hughes sends his pictures free, or would I have to pay for it? If so, please tell me the price.

Last week a movie fan gave a list of the stars who send their pictures free. I would like to have the following send me their pictures: Marion Davies, Richard Dix, Jackie Coogan, Norma Talmadge, Hope Hampton, Betty Compson, Esther Ralston and, Douglas Fairbanks.

Please tell me all you can about Lloyd Hughes.

Could you get the above actors and actresses, pictures for me or would I have to write to them and ask for their pictures.

Lloyd Hughes is my favorite actor. If he sends his picture free I would like it very much. If you would send me these pictures I would certainly appreciate it.—A Fan, BONITA.

I haven't a bit of doubt, but that Mr. Hughes would mail you a picture free upon request, but I think as a matter of simple courtesy it is much nicer to enc ose at least a little something to help defray mailing expenses. It is true that many of the players will send their photographs to the fans, anyhow, but when they have thousands of pictures a month to mail to their admirers, it eats a big hole in their salary. Some of them, no doubt, can well afford it, but many of the younger players do not make the fabulous sums they are credited with receiving.

I have no pictures on hand and you have to make your request direct to the stars themselves. If you wish the addresses, I will be glad to supply them.

Address Mr. Hughes in care of First National Productions, United Studios, Hollywood, Calif. He is working opposite Colleen Moore in "Irene." Your favorite was born in Bisbee, Ariz., in 1899. He received his education at the Los Angeles Polytechnic school. Soon after his graduation he was offered a chance in pictures, and he made his debut in "The Haunted Bedroom," a Paramount production. Mr. Hughes is an all-round athlete and spends much of his time motoring and swimming when he isn't busy on the motion picture lot. He is married to Gloria Hope, also a well known film favorite.

There is no special price charged for pictures, but it is customary to enclose a quarter with your request.

Dear Movie Editor—This is the first letter that I have written to you. Would you please send me the addresses of the following list please, Lillian Gish, Jackie Coogan, Lloyd Hughes, Harold Lloyd, Doug as Fairbanks, Gloria Swanson, Colleen Moore and Thomas Meighan? How much stamps or money does it take to get the picture of these movie stars which I have mentioned? With love—KATHRYN.

Your first letter, and it was short and sugary, Kathryn. Don't let it be your last.

You evidently are starting a movie book, too. There seems to be a regular epidemic for addresses lately. You will find Lloyd's in Benita's letter. Colleen Moore can be reached at the same address. Lillian Gish works on the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer lot at Culver City Calif. Jackie Coogan may be addressed in care of his own productions, Hollywood. Douglas Fairbank's studio is located at 711 Santa Monica boulevard, Hollywood. Gloria Swanson and Thomas Meighan both work at the Paramount Studio, Pierce Avenue and Sixth street, Long Island, N. Y. Address Harold Lloyd at 6642 Santa Monica boulevard, Hollywood.

Dear Movie Editor—I am a new fan and this is the first time I have written to you. I enjoy your department very much and that is the first thing I read when the paper comes on Sunday.

I have a few questions to ask about Ramon Novarro. What is his height, weight, age and color of hair and eyes? What nationality is he? Is he married and if so to whom? What is his address? What are some of his pictures and what is he working on now? Is Ramon Novarro his real name. Please tell me all you can about him.

That is all for this time. Hoping to see my letter printed in next Sunday's Star, I remain—JUST PRUE.

Still another new fan for 1925! This has been a record breaking year for new fans, which shows that the movies are becoming more and more popular.

Ramon Novarro was born under the family name of Samaniegos, in Durango, Mexico. He will be 27 in February. At the Jesuit college, which he attended in Mexico City, he held the track championship. It was because of his suppleness and pantomimic ability that Marion Morgan chose him for a dance spectacle, in spite of the fact that he had never danced in his life. He worked hard for four months and then decided he was good enough to dance for Pavlowa.

It was as Rupert in "The Prisoner of Zenda" that he made his screen debut. He later played in "Scaramouche," where he won greater fame, "The Red Lily," "Where the Pavement Ends," and won the big role of the season when he was given the chance to play "Ben Hur" in the picture which Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer produced from the Lew Wallace masterpiece.

"The Midshipman" is Ramon's latest picture which has been released. "Ben Hur" is scheduled for release in January, but it will be sometimes, no doubt, before it reaches Lincoln. He is now vacationing. Address him at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Culver City, Calif.

Ramon is not married. He is 5 feet 10 inches tall and weighs about 160. His hair and eyes are dark, and he is just as handsome off screen as he is on.

Dear Movie Editor—This is the first time I have written you, but all things must be done the first time. I have a few questions I want to get off my mind so here I go.

A few months ago I saw a picture at the Colonial that I liked very much, but I can't remember the name of it. Lloyd Hughes had the leading part. This is the synopsis of the play.

Lloyd's former sweetheart runs off with a man, the villain of the story, who is married. One of her many lovers follows her and finds her on the ship with this man, because of her pride she agrees to marry this man who loves her, so that the story will not be told. Lloyd also is on the ship and when he finds out that his former sweetheart is also on it, he meets her one evening at the window of her room. By accident he falls into the ocean and she cries for help.

Her husband saves him, but he himself is paralyzed and cannot talk or walk the rest of his life. After they are home, the villain comes in to see this girl. While he is forcing her to kiss him, Lloyd comes in and there is a fight. Her husband kills the villain, but both Lloyd and this girl plead guilty. Just before her husband dies they find out that he is the murderer.

If you know the name of this please give it to me, and also the cast.

Would you give me the addresses of Madge Bellamy, Florence Vidor, Bebe Daniels, Alberta Vaughn, Richard Dix, Lloyd Hughes and George O'Harra?

I am anxious to see my letter soon. Sincerely, PAULINE.

The synopsis you gave, Pauline, sounds like the plot of "In Every Woman's Life," which Irving Cummings directed from Olive Wadsley's novel, "Bolanging." The cast includes Virginia Valli, Lloyd Hughes George Fawcett, Vera Lewis Marc McDermott, Stuart Holmes and Ralph Lewis.

Address Madge and George O'Harra at the Fox Studio, 1401 North Western avenue, Hollywood. Florence Vidor, Bebe Daniels and Richard Dix are at the Lasky Studio, 1520 Vine street, Hollywood. Alberta Vaughn maintains her letter box at F. B. O. Studio, 780 Gower street, Hollywood, and Lloyd Hughes is working on the United Studio lot, for the First National Productions. The location is 5341 Melrose avenue, Hollywood.

Dear Movie Editor—This is the second letter I have written to you. I enjoy your page very much. I thought some of the fans might like to know the names of some of the stars pictures you can get without sending money or stamps. They are: Alberta Vaughn, Bebe Daniels, Betty Bronson, Colleen Moore, Lila Lee, Laura La Plante, Monte Blue, May McAvoy, Marion Davies, Norma Shearer, Patsy Ruth Miller, Pola Negri, Richard Barthelmess, Ronald Colman, Thomas Meighan, Mary Philbin, Lois Wilson, George O'Brien, Betty Compson and Richard Dix.

Will you please give me the addresses of Priscilla Dean, Shirley Mason, Florence Vidor, Lawrence Gray, Esther Ralston, Rod La Rocque, Richard Talmadge and Dorothy MacKaill? PATSY, Crete, Neb.

It is very evident from the long list of players who do not expect stamps for their photographs, that the mails will be heavy between Lincoln and Hollywood. I'm sure the fans will all be interested in the list you sent.

Address Priscillia Dean at Metropolitan Studios, 6642 Santa Monica boulevard, Hollywood, Florence Vidor's address is given in the letter above. Esther Ralston is also reached at the Lasky Studio.

Shirley Mason receives her mail at Lasky Studio, Hollywood, Richard Talmadge is with F. B. O. 780 Gower street, Hollywood, Rod La Rocque is under contract to Cecil B. De Mille, Culver City, Calif.

Lawrence Gray is working at the Paramount Studio, Pierce avenue, and Sixth street Long Island, N. Y. and Dorothy MacKaill will be found at Cosmopolitan Studio, 127th street New York City.

Dear Movie Editor—We are so pleased with the answers you gave us the last time that we are coming back to you with some more questions.

We would like all the information concerning Tom Mix, Lloyd Hughes, Jack Hoxie and Aileen Pringle.

Also, we would like the casts of "The Dixie Handicap," "Riding the Wind," and "The Snowshoe Trail." Thanking you in advance, we are Elizabeth and Merle, Havelock, Neb.

Tom Mix was born on a ranch near El Paso, Tex. Aside the years he has been a pictures, he was a cowpuncher who held championships for daring cowboy exploits. He attended a Virginia military academy, and served in the Spanish-American war as a scout. He went to China with the expedition of the Boxers, and was wounded in the battle of Tien Tsin. He acted at deputy marshal in Oklahoma for a while, and it was when he won honors at a rodeo, that he attracted the attention of motion picture producers. He has spent his entire picture career as a Fox star in western pictures.

You will find your information concerning Lloyd Hughes in a letter above.

Jack Hoxie was born in Oklahoma in 1889. He was raised on a cattle ranch and served his apprenticeship as a cowboy. He won several championships as trick and fancy rider of horses. He started his film career with Lasky in "Lightning Bryce." He is now a star in Universal Productions. Mr. Hoxie married Marian Sais, a former screen player.

Miss Pringle, or rather Mrs. Pringle, as she is in private life, is the daughter of George Bisbee, a wealthy San Francisco man. She gave up her position as a society matron to become a screen player. It was Elinor Glyn who gave her her chance for success when she chose her for the leading role in "Three Weeks." Prior to that, Aileen had been doing small bits in pictures. She has dark hair and greenish eyes. She knows how to wear her clothes, and her popularity and rise in fame is due to her intelligence and hard work as well as her beauty.

The cast for "The Dixie Handicap" is, "Virginia," Claire Windsor; "Judge Roberts," Frank Keenan; "Johnny Sheridan," Lloyd Hughes; "Dexter," John Sainpolis; "Noah," Otis Harlon," Bubbles, Joseph Morrison; "Major Warrington," Otto Hoffmann; "Mr. Bosworts," Edward Martinlel; "Mrs. Bosworth," Ruth King; "Losing Jones," Loyal Underwood; "A Tout," William Quirk; "Freight Conductor," Bert Lindley; "Sheriff," William Orlamond; "Constable," Milton Ross; "Milkman," J. P. Lockney.

I fail to find the cast for "The Snowshoe Trail" in my files.

Following is the cast for "Riding the Wind:" "Jim Harkness," Fred Thomson; "May Loay," Jacqueline Gadson; "Dick Harkness," Lewis Sargent; "Leader of the Black Hat Gang," David Dunbar; "Dolly Dunton, "Betty Scott; "Sheriff Lacy" David Kiroy; "Silver King," by himself.

FANS: There are still several unanswered letters on my desk, so if your letter does not appear today, watch next Sunday's Star for it.

Screen Siftings

Mustache Sacrificed—For the first time in eight years, Clarence Burton is without an appendage on his upper lip. He sacrificed his mustache for the sake of his art, but he's thinking of putting on a "phoney" one every night before going home, so his family will recognize him. Mr. Burton's role in "Red Dice" calls for a clean shaven villain. Hence the sacrifice. "Red Dice," is the new picture which Rod La Rocque is making for Cecil B. DeMille from Octavius Cohen's story, "The Iron Chalice." William K. Howard is directing and Marguerite de la Motte plays opposite the hero.

Lots of Business—There's a hum of activity around the Universal lot. In addition to the half dozen Universal units now in production, five independent companies have leased space at the studio.

Mrs. Wallace Reid is filming "The Earth Woman," with a large cast including Mary Alden, Priscilla Bonner and Johnnie Walker.

Great Western Productions are making a series of features starring Harry Carey.

Richard Talmadge, the stunt star, is working on a series of pictures at the "U" lot, and Joe Rock, comedy star and producer, has two units at work.

To Film Novel—"The Crystal Cup," Gertrude Atherton's latest "best seller," will be among the stories to be filmed by First National in the near future. Neither director nor star has been selected as yet, but Sada Cowan, well known scenarist, has been engaged by Earl Hudson to write the adaption of the novel. The picture will be filmed in New York.

They Get The Medal—Al and Ray Rockett, two brothers who made "Abraham Lincoln" are feeling amply repaid for the hardships and worry they went through to produce the picture. Not only have they the satisfaction of accomplishing what they set out to do—make a picture which would help raise the standard of motion pictures—but they have been awarded the gold medal by Photoplay Magazine for producing the finest motion picture in 1924.

Twelve years ago the two brothers conceived the idea of filming Lincoln's life but they had no experience in film work, and money. They started at the bottom in the picture business and earned it by experience in every department. They induced Frances Marion to write the script for the story, and after much hard luck due to lack of finances, the picture was completed.

Wardrobe Completed—Norma Talmadge has completed her elaborate wardrobe for "Kiki," and is ready to start work on the actual filming of the picture as soon as the set is completed. Ronald Colman will play opposite Miss Talmadge, and Clarence Brown, who was responsible for "The Eagle," will direct the picture. Even the minor roles in the screen adaptation of the famous Belasco play will be filled by eminent players, according to an agreement Joseph Schenck made with David Belasco when he bought the screen rights to the play.

Borrowing a Star—Mary Brian, who vied with Betty Bronson for honors in "Peter Pan," has been loaned to Metropolitan Pictures for an important role in "Paris at Midnight." This is the first screen appearance Miss Brian has made in anything but Paramount pictures. "Paris at Midnight" was adapted by Frances Marion from Belasco's "Pere Goriet."

Doing Some Loafing—Julia Faye, who is usually cast in a society much about manicures these days. She is playing the part of an unkempt Russian peasant girl in "The Volga Boatman," Cecil B. De Mille's second personally directed feature. The picture has a Russian setting. William Boyd, Ellinor Fair, Victor Varconi and Theodora Kosloff are the featured players. It is a drama of the days in Russia when the servant became master and was adapted from Konrad Bercovici's original by Lenore Coffee.

Stock Actor a Director—Joseph Franz, who will be remembered by Lincoln people for his work here in a stock company several years ago, is directing Pete Morrison in "The Hidden Cabin." Barbara Starr plays opposite Mr. Morrison in the Universal western.

To Take Lead—Chester Conklin, who recently signed a new contract as a featured player in Paramount productions, has gone to New York where he will play an important role in "I'll See You" made under Mal St. Clair's direction, with Adolphe Menjou as the star.

Three New Ones—Three new productions are under way at the Warner Brothers Studio. They are "Leave It to Me," which William Beaudine is directing with Patsy Ruth Miller, John Patrick and Montagu Love in the leading roles; "The Grifters," with Dolores Costello, Louise Fazenda and John Harron as the featured players, and "Why Girls Leave Home," which James Flood will direct with Marie Prevost as the star.

To Do a Wild Western—Shirley Mason has been signed by Famous Players-Lasky for the leading feminine role in their screen version Miss Mason is the only member of the cast so far selected. The picture will go into production right after Christmas under the direction of George B. Seitz. It will be filmed on the actual location described by the author in the story.

Up in The Air—Rod La Rocque is one of the tallest stars in motion pictures. He towers 6 feet 3 inches.

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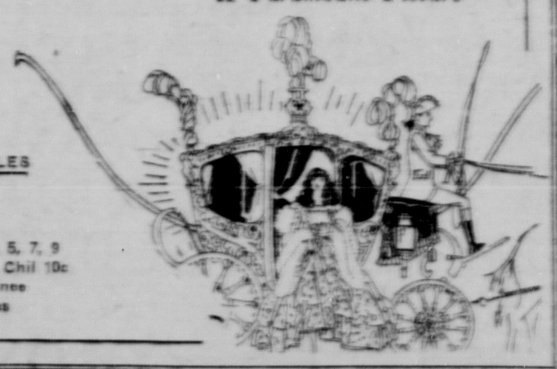


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The twenty-second Vesper concert series will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Lincoln high school auditorium with Eula Marshall Brewster, soprano; Marian Sylvester, contralto; Herbert Gray, tenor and Lloyd Robinson, base, as the soloists. The following program will be given:

O Come All ye Faithful, reading.
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1. Tenor solo—Comfort Ye My People.
2. Chorus—And the Glory of the Lord.
3. Bass (a) Recit.—For Behold, Darkness shall cover the Earth; (b) Air; The People that walked in Darkness.
4. Orchestra—Pastoral Smyphony.
5. Soprano (a) Recit. — There were Shepherds; (b) Recital; And lo, the Angel of the Lord; (c) Recit. And the Angel said unto Them: (d) Recit. And Suddenly there was with the Angel.
6. Chorus—Glory to God.
7. Contralto—He Shall Feed His Flock.
8. Chorus—Surely he Hath Borne Our Griefs.
9. Soprano—How Beautiful are the Feet.
10. Chorus—Hallelujah.

Miss Hilda Chowins entertained the junior division of her piano pupils Monday afternoon at a candlelight musicale at her home. The following program was presented. "Sheperd's Dream," Heins, George Garrison; Sea Foam," Adir, Naomi Burnett; "Zlow, Zyphers, Blow," Courtney, Blanche Carr; "The Evening Bell," Foble, Kenneth Jones; "Spring is Here, Fisher, Jane Bedsin; "Tops," Engleman, Richard Chonrus; "On the Lake," Williams, Lola Brown; "Snow Flakes," Shure, Evelyn Garrison; "Cradle Song," Horvatti, Alaire Barkes; "Spinning Song," Heiml, Francis Gregory; "A May Day," Rathburn, Grace Wert; "Birds of Passage" and "Echo in the Forest," Zilcher, Eunice Camp; "Over the Hills," Logan, Helen Shapiro, Refreshments were served at the close of the program by the hostess, who was assisted by Harriet Walt and Roma de Brown.

Miss Hilda Chowins entertained the Harmonique class at dinner on Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for fourteen. A large candle centerpiece was in the center and individual candle placecards marked each place. The after dinner hours were t spen around the Christmas tree for the distribution of gifts.

THE ROBBINS STUDIOS.

Floyd Robbins, director of piano, spent his vacation in Kansas City. The piano studios will reopen on Wednesday, December 30.

The voice studio will remain open through the holidays. Eduth Lucille Robbins remained in Lincoln for the holidays.

Anna Bartunek, assistant in piano and supervisor of the Junior Department, spent her vacation at her home in Wolbach. Classes will meet as usual this week.

The mid-season program for voice pupils will be presented early in the year. It will consist of ensemble numbers, including special quartet cycles, operatic quartet repertoires, duets, and choruses presented by the Bel Canto Men's chorus and the Bel Canto club. The studio now directs four mixed quartets.

Dr. Guy L. Spencer, tenor, was the soloist for the public installation of officers in Royal Arch, Number 6, at the Masonic temple, Monday evening. Governor and Mrs. McMullen were the special guests for the program.

The Bel Canto Men's chorus has booked fifteen concert programs to date, to begin January 10 at the reformatory, and to include appearances in practically each Lincoln churh. Only a few open dates remain. Miss Robbins will be glad to assign dates to other churches desiring the sacred-secular Sunday program.

WHEATLEY VOCAL STUDIOS.

Walter Wheatley, tenor and Lenore Burkett VanKirk will broadcast from the University of Nebraska studio over KFAB on Tuesday evening during the hour from 8:30 to 9:30, central time.



Claire Dux Prima Donna soprano who will give the next concert of the Great Artist Course. Auditorium January 5th.—Advertisement.

Elsie Neely will have the leading role in the production of "Don't Park Here" given at the Orpheum Theater, December 28 and 29. Other Wheatley students who have parts are Hazelle Wehrman, Vyvid Maddox and Creda Bricka.

Hazelle Wehrman, contralto, sang recently before the Nucholls County Fair association at Superior. Miss Wehrman also gave a recital before the Eastern Star of East Lincoln.

This is the day of specialization and when an artist finds she excels in a certain branch of her work she finds herself far on the way to popularity and success when she stresses that fact. Costume recitals when well presented have always held a particular charm, and one young artist to draw special attention in that field recently is the young Hungarian lyric soprano, Frances Sebel. Miss Sebel sings folk songs in various languages—Russian, Swedish, German, French and Italian—dressing in appropriate costume for each. But it is in the Hungarian Gypsy songs that she is at her best. Being thoroughly familiar with these and suited by temperament to their interpretation, she gives them with a spontaneity, abandon and fire that never fail to arouse enthusiasm. She adds to the interest by prefacing these songs with explanations. Miss Sebel has been engaged for appearance with several prominent New York clubs this season, among them the Rubinstein club. Her manager, R. E. Johnston, has also secured engagements for her in a number of the large cities throughout the United States.

"Crossings" is the title of a fairy play by Mr. de la Mare for which Armstrong Gibbs has written the music. It is a charming story of four children who have drunk fairy wine. It was written with great simplicity and beauty and has delightful music. The performance at the Lyric theater in London given in aid of King Edwards' Hospital Fund, was up to the usual high standard of that theater and Ellen Terry's appearance was an honor that the play deserved.

Geraldine Farrar will not return to the operatta, Romany Love Spell, according to the latest announcement. She is to rest all winter, it is said, in order to recover completely from her recent illness.

Society

(Continued from Page Seven.)

Clary. The evening hours were spent informally.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Frey will entertain at 7 o'clock dinner for employes of Frey and Frey at the Glass Acres Tuesday evening. Dancing will follow the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ogle entertained at Christmas dinner for twlve guests at their home, 1419 B street. The covers were placed at one table and Christmas colors prevailed in the appointments. Mrs. Laura Wells of Morrowville, Kans., was the only out of town guest.

Members of the Outlook club were entertained at a 1 o'clock luncheon and Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Ed Schroeder, 1448 Washington street, Wednesday afternoon. A small Christmas tree formed the centerpiece and there were gifts for each guest.

Professor Jean Schafer, director of the Lincoln Symphony orchestra, entertained the twelve members of the orchestra Saturday evening at a 10 o'clock supper at his home, 1975 A street. A three course supper was served at one table attractively centered with a bell suspended from streamers and under which were roses and poinsettias. Favors were cigar whistles. Bells and festooning decorated the rooms. The evening was spent with games and at the close of the entertainment Prof. Schaefer was presented with a gold fountain pen.

The annual Christmas breakfast for student nurses and alumnae of Bailey's sanatarium was held Christmas morning at 6 o'clock in the dining room of the hospital. Ninety guests attended and there were fourteen classes represented besides the three classes now in training. The breakfast has become a tradition of the Bailey training school for nurses and has been celebrated for twenty years.

Christmas decorations were used for the tables and the student nurses marched into the dining room singing Christmas carols. Before being seated the assembly recited the Lord's Prayer. Dr. Bailey was toastmaster and several telegrams of greetings were read, one of them sent by Dr. May L. Flanagan who is spending the winter at Tampa, Fla.

Out of town guests were Miss Francelia French, Laramie, Wyo.; Mrs. Imogene Eberhart Eisele, Franklin; Dr. and Mrs. Car. Schwab, Galva, Ill.; John Schwab, Oxford, Neb.; Mrs. George Carlson, Geneva.

Mrs. H. A. McNerney entertained the World Wide Guild of Temple Baptist church at a two-course seven o'clock dinner at her home, 1330 North Twenty-fourth street on Tuesday evening. The sixteen guests came dressed in costume carrying out the idea of Mother Goose rhymes. A Christmas tree was a feature of the decorations and Christmas bells were used. Red and green were the predominating colors. The table was also decorated with small Christmas trees, red nut-cups and place cards. Children's games were played and Mother Goose distributed the presents from the Christmas tree. Mrs. Elizabeth Funke delighted the guests with her selection of songs, the girls joining in on Christmas carols.

Miss Cornelia Rankin entertained her piano students at her home, 1617 Washington street, on Wednesday afternoon. The party was a Christmas party and a decorated tree was the main feature. Each student received a gift and the games which were enjoyed by all were followed by light refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Beardsley entertained the Gump Pinochle club at their home, 2105 R street, Wednesday evening. Eight members enjoyed pinochle and Mrs. Mac Martenson and Will Sullivan made high scores and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pierce made second high scores. The luncheon table had a small Christmas tree in the center. Following the luncheon there was a grab bag. December 30 Mrs. John Christian will entertain at her home, 2210 D street.

Mrs. F. O. Dietze gave a Christmas party for members of the Jolli-Ate club at her home, 1928 Park avenue, Wednesday afternoon. Eight members enjoyed bridge and there was a Christmas tree from which each guest received a gift. The hostess served a luncheon from small tables in the dining room. Tinsel and bells were used as decorations. In two weeks Mrs. Emory Ewell will entertain at her home, 917 South Thirty-second street.

A Christmas party for members of the La Joie de Vie club was given by Mrs. I. R. Dana at her home, 2020 South Fifteenth street, Monday evening. Eighteen members were present. Santa Claus distributed gifts to the guests from a tree and there were stunts following. Miss Laura White and Mrs. Fred Thomas gave a musical skit. They were dressed as little girls and gave a take off on the girls in the club to the tune of "I Don't Think So." A newspaper about club members was read. The remainder of the evening was spent with games, followed by a two course luncheon which was served at small tables attractive with holly and mistletoe. Bells were hung throughout the rooms for further decoration. Miss Myra McGraw and Miss Gertrude Hauschildt assisted. The next meeting will be announced later.

Miss Rose Studier and Miss Sarah Witt acted as hostess to the members of the Phi Beta Pi, 61 club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Walla, 1710 South Twenty-fifth street on Monday evening. It was a Christmas party and the games played were suggestive of this time of the year. A Sahta Claus appeared and gave each guest a gift.

Miss Augusta French entertained at a Christmas party at her home, 1742 M street on Friday, December 26. The evening was spent in dancing, and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The decorations for the party and throughout the house were in red and green.

Honoring Miss Eleanor Ackerman, a bride of today, Miss Luella Conway entertained at dinner at Le petit Gourmet for six guests on Monday evening. The table decorations were poinsettias carrying out the Christmas idea. After the dinner the guests attended a theater. Out of town guests were Robert N. Lee of New York City, and Robert Cox of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Detwilder entertained at the annual party for the employes of the Detwiler Cafe at their home, 1236 G street on Wednesday evening. A Christmas tree was the feature of the evening's gaiety and each guest found a gift on the tree. All the decorations throughout the house were in the Christmas spirit. The guests also enjoyed at taffy pull during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Hodgman, 2135 Sewell street entertained informally at an attractive bridge party Tuesday evening at their home as a courtesy to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Raut of Chicago who are guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. O. L. Bragg and Mr. Bragg. There were four tables of players and high scores were made by Mrs. George Hinman and John McKenzie. Mr. and Mrs. Raut were presented with guest favors. Late in the evening a two course luncheon was served by the hostess. The decorations for the luncheon table and throughout the house carried out the suggestion of the holiday season.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Hodgman will entertain at a second party for Mr. and Mrs. Raut.

The class of 1917, Lincoln high school held its seventh annual reunion Saturday evening in the Egyptian room of Hotel Lincoln. The original membership of the class was 224 and out of that number eighty attended the banquet Saturday evening. The banquet was held at 6:30 o'clock, and following was a program. Mrs. Oz Black told a Christmas story and Francis F. Flood gave a short talk. Miss Ruth Lindsay entertained with a group of vocal numbers.

The officers of the class for the past year were Louis Friend, president; Miss Marjorie McGhee, vice president, and Walter Gardner, secretary and treasurer.

The members of the Paul Neyron club will have one of their regular dancing parties Monday evening at the Lincoln hotel, with Mrs. M. O. Fraser, as hostess. Mrs. Joseph F. Wishart of Deadwood, S. D. will be the only guest.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taylor, 2748 South Forty-eighth street entertained sixteen couples at a dancing party last Monday evening at their home in honor of the nineteenth birthday anniversary of their son, John. A motif of red and green was featured in the decorations throughout the house, and on either side of the fire place were small decorated Christmas trees containing the favors for each guest. At the close of the evening a supper was served, and covers were arranged at one table. A large birthday cake bearing nineteen red candles and a large white one for the coming year, formed the centerpiece for the table. Mr. Taylor was presented with a gift on behalf of the guests present.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. C. H. Taylor and Miss Louise Johnson, Omaha; Alice and Charles Olmstead, Roca. Miss Helen Lundberg and Miss Beth Taylor received the guests at the door.

Mrs. Carl Myers will be hostess at 1 o'clock dinner at her home, 425 South Twenty-fifth street today to twelve guests. A large bowl of poinsettias will form the centerpiece for the table. Out-of-town guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mallory of Omaha, John McGrath of Omaha and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Myers of Chicago.

Mrs. Mary Burling will entertain a number of guests, members of the family, at dinner on Christmas day at her home, 2039 South Twenty-third street. The out-of-town guests will be Mr and Mrs. P. R. Burling, of Cortland, Neb., Mrs. E. A. Kurtz and daughter, Goldie, also of Cortland, Neb.

The Conoco girls had a dinner and Christmas party Monday evening, December 21, with Miss Agnes Bailey and Miss Louis McCoy acting as hostesses. Most of the girls present left the city Thursday to spend the holidays at their various homes.

Mrs. Johnson G. Beam entertained fourteen small guests Saturday afternoon at her home, 321 South Eighteenth street, at a Christmas party given in honor of her daughter, Beulah. The home was decorated in the holiday manner, a large Christmas tree forming the feature of the decorations. Light refreshments were served, and the afternoon spent in playing children's games. Each child was presented with a fancy candy box as a favor. All were members of the kindergarten department of the United Brethren church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Worthington entertained at a family Christmas dinner at their home, 2737 Alpha street, on Christmas day. Mr. Worthington's seventy-fourth birthday was also celebrated at the dinner. A large birthday cake with candles was a feature of the occasion. All of the children and grandchildren and a few friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fisher, 1319 South Eleventh street, entertained as guests at a dinner Christmas day at their home Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fee and daughter, and Eugene and Jake Fisher.

Social Clubs

At a pretty 1 o'clock luncheon Thursday Mrs. Frank Rawlings was a pleasant hostess to members of the Jolly Crew club at her home, 2637 Washington street. The guests were seated at one table and table decorations were in keeping with the Christmas season. Poinsettias former the centerpiece and favors were laid at each cover. There were three tables of five hundred following the luncheon. Mrs. Howard Heffley made high club honors and Mrs. C. W. Fritz the second high. Mrs. Jack More was the only guest. In two weeks Mrs. J. W. Bridge will entertain at her home, 2635 Ryons street.

The H. E. O. club met at the home of Mrs. Troxel, 1123 Hull street, Tuesday afternoon. Fourteen members and three guests were present. The house was decorated with Christmas colors, and a decorated tree added to the festive spirit. Officers were elected at the meeting. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. E. Hagaman, in two weeks, at the home of her mother, 1509 North Twenty-sixth street.

Two guests, Miss Agnes Pennington of Denver and Miss Lillian Wright, were present at the annual Christmas party of the Tia Juana club at the home of Mrs. A. T. Allender, 1121 D street, Tuesday afternoon. The time was spent at five hundred and Mrs. Al Prewitt and Mrs. W. C. Hoffman made high scores. The rooms were decorated with red and green festooning and Christmas bells. There was a lighted tree in front of the fireplace, from which gifts were distributed. The guests were seated at one long table for a two-course luncheon. Red tapers in crystal holders and red and green nut cups were the table decorations. On January 7, Mrs. Joe Albin will entertain at her home, 122 North Twenty-fifth street.

Nineteen members of W. P. O. C. spent the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lester Graham, 881 South Fortieth street, Tuesday, with Mrs. Harley Wymore and Mrs. Floyd Elliott assisting hostesses. The rooms were attractive with Christmas festooning and a Christmas tree. A feature of the afternoon was a grab bag. The hostess served miniature Santa Claus in the form of ice cream, and the favors were green gum-drop candles.

T. S. E. clubs was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hanson, 1439 O street, Monday evening. Mrs. E. M. Simpson and E. M. Allen made nigh honors and Harry Mahannah and Mrs. Dan Needham were awarded the consolation. There were Christmas decorations. The hostess served a three-course luncheon.

Christmas greens and mistletoe were used for decorations by Miss Daisy Jones at the Christmas party of the Chic card club Tuesday at her home, 310 South Fifteenth street. There were three tables of bridge and the hostess served a two-course luncheon following the game. Red candles centered the tables. On January 12 Miss Bertha Lefferdink will entertain the club at her home, 321 Lafayette apartment.

A color note of red suggested the Christmas spirit in the appointments at the Pepper Shakers' club Christmas party Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Gertrude Wittstruck, 240 North Thirty-third street. Miss Petrie assisted. There was a Christmas tree and a grab bag. The rooms were gala with festooning and bells in red and green. The luncheon table with a bowl of red roses, with red tapers and crystal holders on either side, and place cards at each cover in the same color note. Favros of red tarlatan stockings filled with candy were arranged at each cover. The time was spent with dancing.

The Degall club held a banquet at the Lincoln hotel Monday evening. Covers were arranged for nineteen at one table, with a center of mistletoe and holly about a tall red taper. Favors of candle holders in the form of pine cones marked each cover, and verses on the backs of the place cards told each guest where she would find her gift. A four course luncheon was served. Mrs. Paul Hefty was toastmistress. The after luncheon hours were spent with bridge. On January 9 Mrs. Laura Glantz will entertain at her home, 1900 South Twenty-fifth street.

Members of Alpha Kappa Delta sorority of Wesleyan entertained thirty-six couples Monday evening at a banquet at the University club. The tables were arranged in the shape of a cross and a violin trio furnished music during the banquet. A large centerpiece of poinsettas and red tapers with silver leaves were the table decorations. The place cards were silver crested and attached to the centerpiece with red ribbons. There was a gift for each guest. Dean and Mrs. S. A. Alabaster were chaperones. The Misses Enid Miller, Beulah Champ, Marietta Snow and Mary Cuison were guests.

Mrs. E. F. Reaves entertained at a luncheon at her home, 731 South Eleventh street, for members of the Loyal club, Tuesday at 1:30 o'clock. The eighteen guests were seated at two large tables, the centerpiece of which were baskets of poinsettas and holly and red tapers in crystal holders. Tiny school houses with Santa Claus in the chimneys formed the nut cups. There was a Christmas grab bag. On January 6, Mrs. A. A. Ruark will entertain at her home, 307 North Twenty-fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Beardsley entertained the Kan Ka Kee club Tuesday evening at their home, 2105 R street. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pound were guests. There were four tables of high five and high score was made by Mrs. D. V. Phillips and Elmer Funk. Mrs. Elmer Funk and Lloyd Tracy made second high. Mrs. Cary Fisher and D. V. Phillips won the consolation. Holly wreaths, mistletoe and Christmas festooning added to the attractiveness of the rooms. On January 8, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nesmith will entertain at their home, 1237 F street.

The H. G. L. club met with Mrs. S. H. Pound at her home, 2335 O street, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. D. B. Beardsley made high score and Mrs. Louis Kempkes the consolation. Mrs. D. B. Beardsley, Mrs. Cary Fisher, Mrs. William Vitfenzoffer and Miss Mabel Pound were guests. The feature of the entertainment was a Christmas grab bag. On January 7 Mrs. Will Sherrow will entertain the club at her home, 2925 South Eleventh street.

Has Birthday



Little Miss Betty Joan Benson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Benson, 727 South Ninth street, who celebrated her first birthday anniversary Tuesday, December 15, with a party for six other babies and their mothers. Refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon. The centerpiece for the table was a birthday cake with one candle.

Personal

Mrs. James Milota of Riverton, Wyo., formerly Miss Orpha Dowling, is spending the holidays in Lincoln with her sisters, Mrs. Ray Herr and Mrs. H. R. Moffett.

Miss Fern Mosier of Leavenworth, Kas., is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. E. Blevins and Mr. Blevins. She will remain until after New Year.

Miss Dorothy Gnam of Carroll, Ia., is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Holyoke.

Dr. and Mrs. George R. Westgate, of New York City, arrived in Lincoln Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays with Dr. Westgate's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Westgate, 2400 Lake street. A family dinner was given at the Westgate home Christmas day at which nine were present. The decorations were in keeping with the Yuletide season. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kinsey and daughter, Jo Ann, Fred McFarland, Jr. and Tri McFarland and Miss Jo Ann Westgate, who has been in New York for the last three months.

Samuel B. Hohmann of Seamont View, Carpenteria, Cal., arrived Thursday evening to spend the holidays with his brother, and with his sister, Miss Mae C. Hohmann, 1142 O street.

Mrs. W. F. Smiley, 1020 South Tenth street, has returned from Los Angeles where she was called by the death of her aunt, Mrs. D. P. Munro at the age of 87 years. Mrs. Munro passed away just seven weeks after her sister, Mrs. Margaret Winters, of Marysville, Kas., at the age of 85 years. Mrs. Munro had visited in Lincoln often and was well known in church circles. Her death occurred at Lomita, Cal.

Earl A. Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Richardson, 2625 Vine street ,will leave the first of the year for Palm Beach, Fla., where he will spend the winter with Mr, and Mrs. J. S. Stratton, formerly of Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Luhn are entertaining as their holiday guests, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Brown and children, Elmer, Irene and Alla Mae, of Alliance, Neb. Miss Dorothy Luhn, of Hastings, is also spending Christmas in Lincoln with relatives.

There was a family dinner of twelve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Paine Christmas eve. Saturday Mrs. Paine left for Kansas City to visit her mother, Mrs. Crinklaw.

Chancellor and Mrs. Samuel Avery spent Christmas at Crete, Neb with Mrs. Avery's sister, Mrs. J. E. Taylor, whose husband is a professor at Doane college.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Aitken and daughter, Coleita, and G. J. Culbertson were guests Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Fee.

Guests at the Christmas dinner at 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Harvey Holden were Dr. and Mrs. Chauncey F. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holden and Harvey Kennard Holden of Beverly Hills, Cal.

Mrs. J. E. Gavin was a guest at the Arthur Raymond home on Christmas.

Sunday society add parties of the

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ackerman entertained Saturday evening at a prenuptial dinner for their daughter, Miss Eleanor Ackerman, and Robert Lee of New York City in the English room of the Lincoln hotel. Only members of the family and of the bridal party were included in the guest list. Covers were arranged at one table, prettily appointed with red and white roses. The evening was spent informally. Harry Johnson of Kansas City, the best man, and Miss Kahn of Exeter, were the only out of town guests.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Johnson had as their guest Mrs. Johnson's brother, Earl Allred of Michigan City, Ind., Christmas day at their home, 353 South Twenty-fifth street. They also entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Gorden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Euclid F. Abbott of 847 North Twenty-sixth street celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Saturday evening at a 6:30 dinner. Mrs. Abbott was formerly Miss Mahala Anne Rownd. Mr. and Mrs. Abbott were married in Farmer City, Ill., and came to Ashland in 1887 to make their home until 1896 when they moved to Lincoln, where they have lived since. The children present were Miss Lulu Abbott; Richard L. Abbott and his daughter, Miss Dorothy Abbott; Josephine Abbott Bartlett of York and her sons, Robert Ernest and Richard Abbott. The centerpiece of the table was formed of poinsettias and roses. Violets and gladioli made the other rooms attractive.

LeRoy H. Mayes, who is attending the University of Chicago, is spending the holidays at the home of his mother Mrs. Katherine Mayes, 327 North Thirty-second street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Branson had as their guests during the holidays, Mrs. Branson's father, John Young, also her sister, Zula Young of Highland, Kan. Miss Dorothy Swinney of Wichita, Kan., and a niece of Mrs. Branson, was also guests at the Branson home.

Fred Lee of Chicago is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Lee, 3250 South Thirty-first street during the holidays.

Mrs. Clara Birch of Bozeman, Mont., and formerly of Lincoln, is spending the holidays and the following two months at the home of her sister, Mrs. Roy E. Cochran.

Eldon W. Kiffin and Charles F. Adams of the University of Nebraska are attending the national convention of Pi Kappa Phi from December 26 to 30 at the Sherman hotel in Chicago. Mr. Kiffin is a delegate and Mr. Adams is on the speaking program. Ray Hall and Harry Geistfeld, also members of Pi Kappa Phi, are attending the convention.

Miss Blanche Higgins, physical director in Soldan high school, St. Louis, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Higgins, 2100 South street.

Miss Alice B. Mills and Miss Margaret Mills of Omaha spent Christmas with their sister, Mrs. S. K. Huntsinger, 1106 E street.

Dr. and Mrs. Ira Lockwood of Kansas City, spent Christmas day in Lincoln. She was a guest of Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Bailey for Christmas dinner and called on numerous friends in the afternon.

PRIZE WINNER



Merle Edgar Lipe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lipe of Walton, Neb., and was two and one-half years old on Christmas day. He won the second prize at the Nebraska state fair as a town boy in the eighteen to twenty-seven months class.

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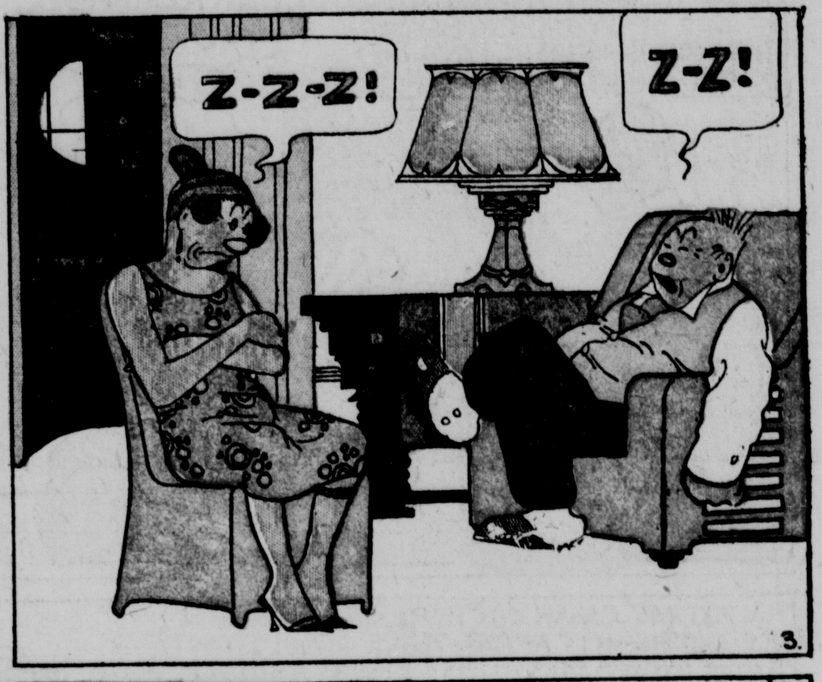
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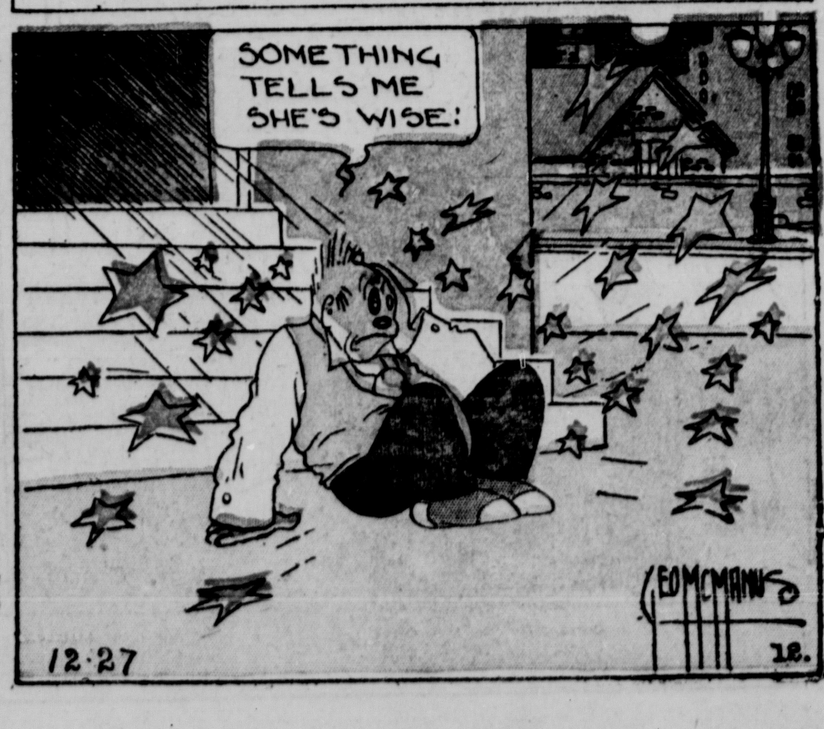












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KALE, WE ARE BOTH SMOKING TOO MUCH! LETS STOP FOR A MONTH! IF ONE OF US SMOKES BEFORE THE MONTH IS UP HE PAYS THE OTHER A HUNDRED DOLLARS!

ALL RIGHT, DOUGH, BUT REMEMBER, NO TRICKS!

1

I'VE GONE THREE DAYS WITHOUT SMOKING! I'VE SIMPLY GOT TO HAVE A SMOKE! KALE IS OUT OF TOWN, SO HE WONT KNOW IT!

2

'LO!- YES, KALE, THIS IS DOUGH! YOU SAY YOU JUST GOT BACK AND YOU ARE COMING OVER TO SEE ME? ALL RIGHT, I'LL BE HERE!

3

I'LL PUT MY CIGAR OUT HERE ON THE WINDOW SILL, AND FINISH IT AFTER KALE GOES! I CANT THROW AWAY A SIXTY CENT CIGAR! AND I'LL GIVE DUBB AND HOOLIGAN A COUPLE OF CHEAPER CIGARS, TO ACCOUNT FOR THE SMOKE IN THE OFFICE!

4

YOUSE ARE SOITNLY KIND:

BOYS, TAKE THESE CIGARS AND LIGHT UP!

THANKS, MR. DOUGH:

5

HELLO, DOUGH, ARE YOU STICKING TO THE AGREEMENT? THIS ROOM IS FULL OF CIGAR SMOKE!

IT'S DUBB AND HOOLIGAN SMOKING! YOU CAN SEE FOR YOURSELF!

6

MR. DOUGH, HERES AN ASH TRAY! YOU DROPPED A LOT OF CIGAR ASHES ON YOUR DESK.

7

LOOK HERE, DOUGH, ARE YOU TRYING TO GYP ME? YOUVE BEEN SMOKING!

PSHAW, KALE, DUBB GOT IT ALL WRONG! DONT PAY ANY ATTENTION TO WHAT HE SAYS!

8

MR. DOUGH, HERES THAT CIGAR YOUSE PUT OUT ON THE WINDOW SILL. ITS STILL BOINING. DID YOUSE WANT TO THROW IT AWAY!

9

YOURE A FINE TRICKSTER! YOU THOUGHT YOU COULD SMOKE AND GET AWAY WITH IT! I WANT ONE HUNDRED SMACKERS FROM YOU!

10

HAR, HAR, DOUGH, YOU WERE CAUGHT WITH THE GOODS!

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11

I DIDNT MEAN TO HOIT YOUR FEELINGS!

IF IT WASNT FOR MY KIND HEART I'D BEAT YOU BOTH UP!

WHAT HAVE WE DONE?

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OH PAPA! IT'S ONLY 363 DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

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WHAT THEY HAND OUT - GET YOUR EYE ON THAT COLLECTION OF RELICS - JUST THE SAME KIND OF JUNK THEY SEND ME EVERY YEAR - IT'S ANDY GUMP - ANYTHING WILL DO FOR HIM -

LOOK AT THAT TIE - THERE'S A DESIGN - TALK ABOUT YOUR COLOR EFFECTS - PUT ON YOUR SMOKED GLASSES AND TAKE A PEEK AT THAT - IT LOOKS LIKE A PAINTER'S OVERALLS I'LL BET THE GIRL BEHIND THE COUNTER CHEERED WHEN THAT TIE LEFT THE FIVE AND TENT CENT STORE -

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A LITTLE HANDKERCHIEF - WELL, WELL, JUST THE THING FOR THE INSIDE POCKET - WHAT COULD BE NIFTIER - A HANDKERCHIEF WITH PERSONALITY AND MAGNETISM - WHAT A LOVELY NEST IT WOULD MAKE FOR A CUCKOO -

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THEY DON'T FIT BUT THE SPIRIT IS THERE - IF I COULD WEAR THIS PAIR OF RAINBOWS I'D GET A GOOD JOB WITH BINGER'S MIDGETS AND THERE'S NOT ENOUGH CARPET IN THEM TO COVER THE SPARE ROOM IN A HUMMING BIRD'S BUNGALOW -

MILITARY BRUSHES - I'M NOT A SOLDIER AND I HAVE NO HAIR ON MY HEAD - IF THEY HAD SENT A BOX OF SHOE POLISH ALONG THE BRUSHES WOULD COME IN VERY HANDY -

A STEAMER RUG - THERE'S SOMETHING TO WRAP YOUR TROUBLES IN - ALL I NEED NOW IS A COUPLE OF OCEANS OR I CAN SIT OUT ON THE FRONT PORCH AND HAVE CHESTER THROW SALT WATER ON ME -

I WONDER WHAT THIS IS - OH YES, I REMEMBER IT'S A CORK-SCREW - WHAT A WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS GIFT THAT WOULD HAVE BEEN IN 1910 - SENDING ME A CORK-SCREW NOW IS LIKE SEND- ING A PAIR OF RUBBER-HEELS TO A MERMUD-

IF THAT POCKET-BOOK WAS FULL OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLAR BILLS IT WOULD ALMOST COVER WHAT I SPENT FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS - IN RETURN I GOT A CHRISTMAS CARD THAT DIDN'T EVEN HAVE ANY SNOW ON IT -

THERE'S NOTHING IN THIS POCKET-BOOK BUT SENTIMENT - IT'S JUST BURSTING WITH SENTIMENT - DEAR OLD UNCLE MIKE HE'S SO THOUGHTFUL AND GENEROUS - IF I WAS STARVING TO DEATH HE'D SEND ME A LOAF OF BREAD C.O.D -

BEFORE THE SHERIFF COMES THERE'S GOING TO BE A BIG RUMMAGE SALE AROUND HERE - BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENTS - YOUR CHOICE FOR FIVE CENTS - IF I'M ABLE TO PAY FOR ALL THE PRESENTS I BOUGHT BY DECEMBER 25TH 1926 THAT WILL BE A MERRY CHRISTMAS FOR ME -

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